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Annual Report

of the

Municipal Officers

of the

TOWN OF

BALDWIN

MAINE

For the Fiscal Year ending

FEBRUARY 7, 1945

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
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1945

NOTICE

This report is condensed more than usual to save printing space.

TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

R. C. SPENCER J. C. BABB J. A. WARREN

Superintending School Committee

**LINWOOD HOYT HARRY SANBORN
BEATRICE BABB**

Superintendent of Schools

LINDON CHRISTIE

Treasurer and Collector

CHARLES E. SOMERS

Road Commissioners

**J. HOWARD CARTRET DONALD YORK
EVERETT DAVIS**

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector

CHARLES E. SOMERS

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland, GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 5th day of March, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at the said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, tax collector, and constable, town clerk, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee, and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school buildings.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for textbooks and supplies in schoolrooms.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for music in the schools.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for lights in schoolrooms.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on improved roads.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for tarring third class roads.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the patrol of State highway, "Pequawket Trail" and State aid roads.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, R. S. of 1930, or under the provisions of Chapter 213, Public Laws of 1941.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$702.00 in order to entitle the town to the third class apportionment, as provided in the present statutes, for the maintenance of improved sections of third class roads or to be used in connection with the apportionment made by the State to be used for the improvement of third class roads.

Art. 19. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to make any arrangements, and what, in regard to snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35.00, more or less, to be paid the Williams Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day Fund.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504.00, more or less, for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a Certified Public Accountant to audit town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1945 taxes.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and the outstanding notes.

Art. 29. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deed for such property.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize selectmen to, collect unpaid taxes due the town, these to be paid or taken from any form of wages paid by the town.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal, sanding machine, or plows, and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 32. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding the purchase of fire-fighting and other defense equipment and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 33. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding raising and appropriating the sum of \$50.00, more or less, for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Chapter 5, Section 82, of the Revised Statutes. Article suggested by the State of Maine Publicity Bureau.

Art. 34. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the eradication of White Pine blister, the same to be expended in accordance with the laws of Maine.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of the F. A. Locke note.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to close the Pigeon Brook School, this school having been suspended for a period of one year by a vote of the superintending school committee.

Art. 37. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding repair of tractor house, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 38. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding care of neglected cemeteries, as required by law, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 39. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding hiring health nurse and raise and appropriate money for same.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 7th day of February, 1945.

R. C. SPENCER,

J. C. BABB,

J. A. WARREN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1945

Art. 4.	Schools,	\$6,000.00
Art. 5.	Repairs,	200.00
Art. 6.	Textbooks and supplies,	400.00
Art. 7.	Music,	400.00
Art. 8.	Tuition,	2,000.00
Art. 9.	Lights,	80.00
Art. 10.	Poor relief,	1,500.00
Art. 11.	Roads and bridges,	2,160.00
Art. 12.	Miscellaneous,	1,440.00
Art. 13.	Bushes on town roads,	300.00
Art. 14.	Bushes on improved roads,	800.00
Art. 16.	Patrol,	1,300.00
Art. 18.	Third class maintenance,	702.00
Art. 20.	Officers' compensation,	1,200.00
Art. 21.	Snow removal,	1,800.00
Art. 23.	Memorial Day,	35.00
Art. 24.	Cemetery fund,	25.00
Art. 25.	Street lights,	504.00
Art. 26.	C. P. A.,	70.00
Art. 28.	Interest,	250.00

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending February 7, 1945.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. SPENCER,

J. C. BABB,

J. A. WARREN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1944 ASSESSMENT, VALUATION AS OF

APRIL 1, 1944

Real estate, non-resident,	\$439,112.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	12,701.00
Real estate, resident,	141,745.00
Personal estate, resident,	17,395.00
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Total valuation,	\$610,953.00
Appropriated by town, March,	
1944,	\$23,596.00
State tax,	5,330.18
County tax,	1,168.55
Overlay,	1,063.87
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Property tax,	\$31,158.60
Poll tax,	489.00
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Committed to collector,	\$31,647.60
Supplementary tax, \$32.48	
Polls taxed, 163	
Polls not taxed, 65	
Rate of taxation, \$.051	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

40 horses,	\$2,400.00
146 cows,	6,570.00
11 oxen,	1,100.00
17 three-year-olds,	595.00
21 swine,	30.00
41 two-year-olds,	1,025.00
4,370 poultry,	3,210.00
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	\$14,930.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$2,800.00	
14 gasoline tanks and pumps,	1,320.00	
80 radios,	800.00	
Lumber,	6,720.00	
Other property,	3,526.00	
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		\$15,166.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

75 one-year-olds,	\$1,125.00	
86 swine,	1,290.00	
1,765 poultry,	1,312.00	
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		\$3,727.00

ABATEMENTS

Richard Black, poll, paid in Lim- ington,	\$ 3.00	
James Bouchard, poll, paid in Howland,	3.00	
Dr. R. F. Chase, overtaxed,	6.37	
Mettie Stuart, world war veteran,	25.00	
Heirs Nathan Sanborn, error,	1.28	
Roy Shaw, overtaxed,	11.48	
Lewis Warren, paid in Bath,	3.00	
Chas. Ward, over 70,	3.00	
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		\$56.13

UNPAID TAXES**Resident**

A. H. Burnell,	\$18.56
Arthur E. Dyer,	7.40
Everett Emerson,	19.64
Heirs, Chas. Harding,	69.87
Clarence Harmon,	14.03
John T. Jewell,	20.40
Alton Lane,	3.00
Herbert Libby,	.51

Edward McNeill, paid,	3.00	
Heirs, Horace Richardson,	.51	
Grover Thompson,	3.00	
Ralph Warren,	32.64	
Frances Wilson,	3.00	
Charles Yates,	43.86	
Percy Estes,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$242.44

Non-Resident

Louis Brown,	\$ 7.14	
Arthur E. Dyer,	49.73	
John Fullerton,	8.16	
Wm. Nixon,	1.28	
Mrs. Frederick Gardner,	15.30	
Deering P. Merrill,	3.06	
Heirs, D. T. Richardson,	25.50	
Morton Rowe,	5.10	
C. W. Sanborn,	.51	
Joseph Morton,	.51	
	<hr/>	\$116.29

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town of Baldwin, February 7, 1945

ASSETS

Cash on hand,	\$1,455.57	
Uncollected taxes of 1944,	359.22	
Accounts receivable,	190.25	
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LIABILITIES

Notes payable,	\$2,000.00	
Excise tax deferred,	58.65	
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Balance against town,		
Feb. 7, 1945,		\$53.61

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$1,200.00
Lindon E. Christie, supt. of schools,	\$286.10
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	90.00
Olive Burnell, election clerk,	14.00
Frank Hodgdon, election clerk,	14.00
Roscoe Spencer, moderator, two meetings,	6.00
C. E. Somers, auto excise collector,	48.00
R. C. Spencer, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	300.00
J. C. Babb, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
J. A. Warren, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
J. Howard Cartret, constable and mileage,	30.25
Beatrice Babb, school committee,	21.60
Harry F. Sanborn, school committee,	21.60
Linwood Hoyt, school committee,	21.60
Charles E. Somers, collector,	120.00
Charles E. Somers, treasurer,	120.00
Charles E. Somers, health officer two years,	25.00
Charles E. Somers, acct. R. A. Sec. 97, Chap. 5,	100.00
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	\$1,398.15

Overdrawn, Feb. 7, 1945,	\$198.15
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EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$597.80
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	108.94
Fred Mason, labor,	5.63
S. W. Gunter, acct. bridge plank etc.,	14.70
Frank M. York, labor,	238.23
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	\$965.30

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Donald York, commissioner and truck,	\$100.34
George Sanborn, labor and truck,	229.47
Percy Estes, labor,	32.86
Eugene Estes, labor,	10.00
Donald Estes, labor,	31.20
Edward McNeill, labor,	104.15
Chas. Harrington, labor,	30.62
A. B. Locke, truck,	2.60
George Sanborn, (Ward's Hill) labor,	1.87
Guy Ridlon, labor,	2.00
Harvey Bliss, labor,	5.00
Harland Bliss, labor,	5.00
Walter Dearborn, labor,	5.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	76.51
Alton Walker, labor,	5.00
S. W. Gunter, bridge plank, etc.,	68.04
Collector of Internal Revenue, tax,	73.43
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	\$783.09

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	\$401.75
Fred Mason, labor,	37.51
Frank M. York, labor,	57.13
J. H. Murch, team,	11.85
W. H. Cram, team,	42.51
Wendell Wiggin, team,	21.84
David Harmon, labor,	9.39
Fred Robbins, labor,	5.00
Percy Robbins, labor,	5.00
Clarence Crawford, labor,	55.86
Fitch Bros., lumber,	14.62
Norman McKenney, labor,	6.88
Eugene Thorne, labor,	3.12
John Flint, labor and gravel,	7.90

J. C. Babb, labor,	2.50
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	25.32
Will Wentworth, labor,	16.26
John Wentworth, labor,	15.94
John Crawford, labor,	6.65
Arvilla Wentworth, gravel,	2.30
Henry Crawford, labor,	4.69
Arthur Howard, labor,	9.06
Irving Thombs, labor,	1.88

\$764.99

J. H. MURCH CULVERT

Bancroft & Martin, acct. of culvert,	\$142.44
Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	29.81
David Harmon, team,	20.62
Clarence Crawford, labor,	12.19
Irving Thombs, labor,	10.63
Eben Harmon, labor,	10.63
Arthur Howard, labor,	6.25
Everett Davis, gravel,	1.60
J. E. Gunter, gravel,	.40

\$234.57

CARL BURNELL BRIDGE

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$13.00
David Harmon, labor,	4.69
Irving Thombs, labor,	2.50
J. C. Babb, labor,	5.31
M. P. Fitch, spikes,	.70
J. T. and A. H. Chase, plank,	39.20

\$65.40

Appropriated by town,	\$2,160.00
Murch and Burnell bridges,	300.00

\$2,460.00

East Baldwin roads,	\$965.30
West Baldwin roads, including tax,	783.09

North Baldwin roads,	764.99	
J. H. Murch culvert,	234.57	
Carl Burnell bridge,	65.40	
	<hr/>	\$2,813.35

Overdrawn, Feb. 7, 1945,	\$353.35
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STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by town, March 1,	
1943,	\$533.00
Unexpended, as of Feb. 9, 1943,	68.97
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Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945,	\$601.97
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THIRD CLASS ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Overdraft, as of Feb. 11, 1942,	\$3.96
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UNIMPROVED ROADS MAINTENANCE

Unexpended, as of Feb. 11, 1942,	\$5.21
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THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Donald York, commissioner, and	
truck,	\$412.06
George Sanborn, truck and labor,	187.08
Donald Estes, labor,	173.43
Eugene Estes, labor,	81.89
Percy Estes, labor,	158.79
Edward McNeill, labor,	131.72
Chas. Harrington, labor,	149.92
Koppers Co., tar, etc.,	514.45
Donald York, supplies,	3.35
Murray Milliken, truck,	6.06
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	26.82
Harvey Bliss, labor,	16.12
Harland Bliss, labor,	16.12
Walter Dearborn, labor,	12.90
Clarence Crawford, labor,	5.00
Fred Mason, labor,	11.25

Edwards & Walker, supplies,	5.15	
Lester R. Burnell, gas for tar mixer,	7.66	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	18.79	
Lemuel Cotton & Son, rock pickers,	3.30	
Wood's Garage, grader repairs,	5.65	
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		\$1,947.61
Appropriated by town,	\$ 702.00	
Appropriated for tar,	1,200.00	
Rental of tar mixer,	7.50	
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		\$1,909.50
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Overdraft, Feb. 7, 1945,		\$38.11

HALEY ROAD MAINTENANCE

George Sanborn, labor and truck,	\$325.17	
Edward McNeill, labor,	105.30	
Joseph Stokes,	98.72	
H. F. Ward, gravel,	.50	
Eugene Estes, labor,	1.55	
R. C. Spencer, acct. road,	10.00	
Maine Central R. R. Co. demurrage		
on tar,	9.90	
Koppers Co., acct. tar,	933.50	
Treasurer, State of Maine, tarring		
and sand,	640.57	
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		\$2,125.21

No appropriation made at Town meeting but at a special Town meeting voted to hire money to cover expense of maintenance

TOWN BUSHES

Everett Davis, commissioner and	
truck,	\$42.72
Clarence Harmon, labor,	24.40
Eben Harmon, labor,	10.00
Irving Thombs, labor,	15.00
Eugene Thorne, labor,	25.93
W. H. Cram, labor,	2.50

Will Wentworth,	2.81
Lloyd Wentworth,	2.81
Frank M. York,	16.40
Almon Harmon,	5.00

\$147.57

Appropriated by town, 300.00

Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945, \$152.43

BUSHES, IMPROVED ROADS

Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$112.18
Frank M. York, labor,	73.82
Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	50.65
Clarence Crawford, labor,	35.31
Arthur Howard, labor,	20.00
Edward Crawford, labor,	21.28
Harland Howard, labor,	3.13
Eben Harmon, labor,	23.50
Irving Thombs, labor,	23.50
Harry F. Sanborn, mowing with tractor, etc.,	20.00

\$ 383.37

Appropriated by town, 1,000.00

Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945, \$616.63

POOR RELIEF

Preston Sanborn, six cds. wood, Frank Guptill,	\$ 60.00
Mrs. A. C. Stults, board of Zilpha Rowe,	520.00
Blanche Schroeder, Drinkwater child,	78.00
Stewart Gunter, fuel, Minnie Judkins,	9.75
E. H. Chadbourne & Son, supplies, Minnie Judkins,	41.84
J. A. Warren, supplies, Grover Thompson,	10.25
A. F. Sanborn & Sons Co., fuel, Minnie Judkins,	6.00

Alice Murch, board Nat Riley,	480.00
Will Cram, board Walker children,	250.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. medical care Annie Estes,	84.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. medical care Harry E. Sanborn,	36.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. medical care G. Thompson family,	34.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. medical care Min- nie Judkins,	49.50
Mrs. Albert Martin, care of Mrs. Clarence Harmon,	6.00
Dr. A. DiBiaso, services, Nat. Riley,	7.00
J. L. Chick, milk for Minnie Judkins,	38.50
Geo. E. Sanborn, supplies, Nat Riley,	6.65
J. A. Warren, money paid Chas. Ward for labor on Minnie Judkins wood,	15.00
J. A. Warren, wood and labor, Minnie Judkins,	30.00
Donald Warren, labor on Minnie Judkins wood,	4.00
W. R. Foster & Son, burial expenses Clar- ence Harmon child,	20.00
Donald G. Perry, services, Mrs. Clarence Harmon,	30.00
The Strout Co., supplies, Minnie Judkins,	64.02
The Strout Co., supplies, Grover Thompson,	9.79
R. C. Spencer, car hire,	10.00
Chute Store, supplies, Minnie Judkins,	26.48
F. E. Wood & Sons, camp rent, Grover Thompson,	30.00

\$1,956.78

Appropriated by town,	\$1,000.00
Received, acct. Becker case,	215.00
Received, outside poor,	320.00

\$1,535.00

Overdraft, Feb. 7, 1945, \$421.78

SNOW REMOVAL

(Including Sanding, Plowing and Snow Fence)

Geo. E. Sanborn, supplies, snow removal,	\$ 5.12
F. C. Wilson, labor sanding, etc.,	24.31
F. A. Locke, tractor gas,	28.19
Lester R. Burnell, tractor gas,	198.79
Municipal Steel Co., cutting edges,	146.44
Howard Cartret, plowing snow,	1,455.03
Eugene Estes, sanding,	34.58
Franklin Ins. Co., Ins. on tractor, building and plows,	49.65
Percy Estes, sanding,	28.08
Edward McNeill, sanding,	71.66
Walter Warren, labor on ice,	3.85
Geo. Sanborn, comm. snow removal and sanding,	107.00
Murray Milliken, tractor plowing, repairing etc.,	178.11
H. F. Ward, tractor gas,	6.55
Leonard Locke, tractor plowing, repairing etc.,	135.57
Ralph Cram, tractor plowing, repairing etc.,	66.04
Mayo Cram, tractor plowing, repairing etc.,	111.32
Donald York, tractor plowing, repairing etc.,	100.04
Everett Davis, comm. and truck sanding, snow removal,	275.97
Frank M. York, sanding, snow removal,	81.13
Fred Mason, sanding, snow removal,	55.27
Clarence Crawford, sanding, snow removal,	66.16
Irving Thombs, sanding, snow removal,	10.57
R. C. Spencer, snow removal, etc.,	25.00
Geo. Sanborn, (Ward's Hill) snow removal,	4.38
Rowe Motors Inc., tractor oil,	9.50
Howard Cartret, comm. truck, sanding, hauling salt,	139.50
Donald Chadbourne, labor sanding,	2.20

Lester R. Burnell, Quaker State oil,	55.00
J. M. Moore, labor sanding,	12.16
Elmer York, labor, snow removal and sanding,	3.30
Howard York, labor, snow removal and sanding,	3.30
Frank C. York, snow removal and sanding,	3.30
Eastern Tractor & Eq. Co., labor and tractor parts,	375.45
Williams Brothers, plow repairs,	38.63
W. H. Shurtleff, salt,	183.95
Wood's Garage, snow-plow repairs,	92.28
Geo. Sanborn, self and truck sanding, snow removal etc.,	343.38
Donald York, comm. sanding etc.,	10.62
Mutual Oil Co., Inc., oil,	3.90
Geo. Jewett, labor sanding,	4.80
Eben Harmon, snow removal,	3.85
Central Maine Power Co., plow shed lights,	12.00
Collector of Internal Revenue, acct. taxes,	67.80
Joseph Stokes, sanding etc.,	108.01
Alton Walker, labor sanding etc.,	5.00
Nelson Estes, labor sanding etc.,	5.00
W. H. Cram, sanding, snow removal etc.,	1.88
Clarence O'Brien, use of tractor plowing snow,	15.00
J. C. Babb, snow removal etc.,	4.38
Portland Tractor Co.,	67.60
John Crawford, snow removal etc.,	2.50
Donald Estes, snow removal,	50.20
American Auto Ins. Co., tractor insurance,	8.25
Leon Murch, truck for snow removal,	4.47
David Harmon, snow removal,	1.25
Bailey Auto Supply Co.,	7.65
Eben Harmon, snow removal,	3.12
Maine Steel Inc.,	20.80
Norman McKenney, truck, snow removal,	14.09
Richard Howard, labor,	1.56

Harland Howard, labor,	5.31
Sebago Lake Garage, five gal. for tractor,	13.25
Fred Locke, labor on snow,	8.00
Gordon Milliken, plowing, etc.,	19.00
Leon Murch, truck and labor,	50.80
Guy Ridlon, labor on snow,	2.00
David Harmon, labor on snow,	12.00
Richard Sanborn, labor sanding,	5.00
Melvin De Renne, labor sanding,	5.00
Arthur Howard, labor sanding,	3.75
Raymond Wood, tractor gas,	12.66
Orman Sanborn, tractor repairs,	5.00
Paul Estes, tractor plowing etc.,	65.60
Alfred Jewell, tractor plowing etc.,	49.60

\$5,211.46

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Received from State,	1,328.12
Maintenance acct.,	345.40
Received from Hiram for plowing,	30.00
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	\$3,203.52

Overdraft, Feb. 7, 1945, \$2,007.94

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

(Including Cemetery, Memorial Funds, etc.)

Williams-Goodwin Post, acct. memorial fund,	\$ 35.00
Fred A. Locke, acct. cemetery fund,	25.00
Maud Carvell, acct. deeds,	3.00
Town of Cornish, acct. fires,	124.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. car hire,	120.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. postage on town reports,	4.00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., acct. cleaning,	17.10
Elizabeth Paddock, acct. typing warrants,	4.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. expense account,	55.00
Marks Printing House, acct. town supplies,	29.65

E. A. Center, M. D., acct. school examination,	17.00
C. E. Somers, acct. telephone,	5.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. telephone, postage, etc.,	75.00
Chester V. Small, acct. 375 town reports,	87.50
Chester V. Small, acct. ballots and town printing,	14.75
New England Tel. Co., acct. tel. town officers,	4.90
R. C. Spencer, acct. supplies,	25.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. roads,	10.00
Geo. Sanborn, acct. car hire,	10.00
Roberts' Supply Co., acct. supplies,	3.00
Warren's Express, acct. express,	.62
Geo. Sanborn, acct. misc. road supplies,	5.78
Eastern Tractor & Eq. Co., tar mixer,	215.00
Secretary of State, acct. fee,	5.00
Geo. M. Graffam, acct. audit,	57.50
New Eng. Tel. Co. acct. Chas Somers,	18.55
J. A. Warren, acct. telephone,	7.00
J. A. Warren, acct. car hire,	4.00
J. A. Warren, acct. fires,	13.85
Frank Piper, acct. tax liens,	16.24
Hutchins Brothers, acct. tax bills,	8.30
Loring, Short & Harmon, acct. supplies,	3.84
Alton Warren, acct. fires,	7.92
West Baldwin Garage, acct. hall rent,	50.00
Frank Piper, acct. services,	2.50
Cumberland Co. Health Asso., acct. seals,	2.00
J. C. Babb, acct. telephone and car hire,	55.00
S. G. Sawyer, M. D., acct. births, deaths and school exam.,	4.00
Elmer E. Black, acct. town farm line,	5.00
Sebago Lake Garage, acct. bus,	5.00
J. A. Warren, acct. car hire and telephone,	13.50
Town of Standish, acct. of fire fighting equipment,	141.25
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	\$1,310.75

Appropriated by town,	\$1,440.00	
Memorial Day fund,	35.00	
Cemetery fund,	25.00	
Certified Public Accountant,	50.00	
Tar Mixer,	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,800.00
Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945,		<hr/> \$509.25

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$504.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co., for lights,	\$504.00

PATROL MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by town,	\$1,300.00
Town's requisition	\$954.60
Balance to snow removal,	345.40
	<hr/> \$1,300.00

DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriated by town,	\$300.00
Balance from 1944,	226.46
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No expenditures.

Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945,	\$526.46
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INTEREST ON NOTES

Interest paid by warrant,	\$96.28
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Other expenditures shown in treasurer's report, Feb. 7, 1945

TREASURER'S REPORT

DEBITS

February 10, 1944

Balance on hand,	\$ 2,321.85
From:	
Tax collector, 1943 excise taxes,	78.29
Tax collector, 1944 excise taxes,	686.54
Tax collector, 1940 taxes,	10.40
Tax collector, 1941 taxes,	9.60
Tax collector, 1942 taxes,	66.70
Tax collector, 1943 taxes,	437.50
Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	2,000.00
Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	2,000.00
Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	2,000.00
Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	1,500.00
Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	2,000.00
Zilpha J. Rowe, board allowance,	320.00
Sale of town land,	117.00
Town of Hiram, snow removal,	30.00
Treasurer of State, snow removal,	1,328.12
Treasurer of State, bank stock tax,	12.74
Lindon E. Christie, supplies,	4.00
R. C. Spencer, poor relief,	215.00
Tax Collector, 1944 taxes,	31,036.79
Edward Howard, use of cement mixer,	7.50
Treasurer of State, dog licenses refunded,	14.74
Treasurer of State, State school fund,	2,653.45
Treasurer of State, R. R. & tel. tax,	11.08
Tax collector, 1945 excise tax,	58.65
Total,	\$48,919.95

CREDITS

Paid:

Century Idem. Co., treasurer's bond,	\$ 75.00
Grace M. Wood, stamped envelopes,	17.02
Ellie K. Hawes, county tax,	1,168.55
Treasurer of State, State tax,	5,330.18
Fred A. Locke, temporary loans,	9,500.00
Fred A. Locke, interest on same,	229.19
State Highway Com., maintenance patrol,	954.60
Grace M. Wood, stamps bought,	32.84
Warrants 1 to 107 inclusive,	30,157.00
Cash on hand,	1,455.57

Total, \$48,919.95

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. SOMERS.

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

		Tax
Ida Ward,	\$ 885.20	\$ 56.40
Gladys Cartret,	910.62	14.64
Louise Gray,	787.90	99.60
Sarah Hill,	834.80	99.60
Nellie Black,	868.75	13.05
Grace Winn,	380.80	54.60
Ethelyn Christie,	60.00	
Treasurer of State of Maine		
Teachers' pensions,	45.00	
	<hr/> \$4,773.07	<hr/> \$337.89
		\$5,110.96

FUEL FOR SCHOOLHOUSES

Leon Murch, hauling fuel,	\$ 10.00
Carroll Babb, sawing wood,	8.00
Frank York, sawing wood,	5.50
Everett Davis, sawing wood,	5.50
Clarence Crawford, sawing wood,	4.13
R. C. Spencer, 3 cds. wood,	36.00
Stewart Gunter, 5 cds. slabs,	7.50
Arthur Howard, labor on wood,	10.00
M. W. Cook, 20 cds. wood,	240.00
Carroll Edwards, sawing wood,	3.00
A. F. Sanborn & Sons Co., school stickings,	10.00
Linwood Hoyt, delivering stickings,	3.75
Millard Tripp, delivering 18 cds. wood,	54.00
Almon Leach, wood and labor,	95.00
Arthur Rowe, handling and saw- ing wood,	46.00
Frank Wentworth, storing wood,	21.00
Preston D. Sanborn, 8 cds. wood,	96.00

Geo. Sanborn, hauling and sawing wood,	39.92	
Joseph Stokes, sawing wood,	15.57	
Edward McNeill, sawing wood,	1.86	
Donald Estes, sawing wood,	6.82	
	<hr/>	\$719.55

JANITORS AND CLEANING

Arthur Rowe, Sr., janitor,	\$295.00	
Frank Wentworth, janitor,	227.50	
William O. Gupstill, janitor,	32.00	
Arthur Howard, janitor,	32.00	
Rebecca Sanborn, cleaning E. B. school house,	16.00	
Katherine Welch, cleaning school house,	15.75	
Mrs. Doris Cram, cleaning W. B. school house,	12.45	
Mrs. Kathleen Haskell, cleaning school house,	12.45	
Carroll Babb, cleaning out-buildings,	2.50	
Arthur Rowe, Sr., cleaning school house etc.,	25.00	
Linwood Hoyt, janitor work,	5.50	
	<hr/>	\$676.15

CONVEYANCE

John O. Sanborn,	\$669.00	
Mrs. Melvin Cook,	56.00	
Louise Gray,	432.00	
Philip Flagg,	182.00	
Melvin Cook,	475.00	
Century Indemnity Co., insurance on buses,	32.58	
	<hr/>	\$1,846.58

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, COMMON SCHOOLS RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$6,000.00	
Received from State,	1,953.45	
Balance from 1944,	1,282.20	
	<hr/>	\$9,235.65

EXPENDITURES

Teachers' salaries,	\$5,110.96	
Fuel,	719.55	
Janitors and cleaning,	676.15	
Conveyance,	1,846.58	
	<hr/>	\$8,353.24

Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945,	\$882.41
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BOOKS AND SUPPLIES RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00	
Appropriated for school lights,	80.00	
Money received for supplies,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$484.00

EXPENDITURES

Central Maine Power Co., school lights,	\$62.84
Treasurer of State of Maine, school supplies,	2.00
Lindon E. Christie, telephone and postage,	12.47
Scott, Foresman & Co.,	30.70
Ginn & Co.,	79.00
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	32.13
Beckley-Cardy Co.,	21.68
D. C. Heath & Co.,	6.31
Gledhill Bros., Inc.,	26.23
Loring, Short & Harmon,	25.80
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	53.49
John C. Winston Co.,	2.28

Hutchins Brothers,	1.35	
The Papercrafters, Inc.,	22.15	
World Book Co.,	9.73	
F. G. Congdon, Express on supplies,	2.18	
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	9.44	
Milwaukee Dustless Brush Co.,	8.45	
American Book Co.,	5.50	
Charles E. Merrill Co.,	7.39	
Benjamin H. Sanborn,	3.69	
Allyn & Bacon,	14.52	
C. B. Dolge Co.,	4.10	
Webster Publishing Co.,	4.26	
Chester Small, envelopes,	1.63	
American Education Press,	13.07	
E. A. Gager,	12.82	
MacMillivin Co.,	7.26	
	<hr/>	\$482.47
Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945,		<hr/> \$1.53

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$2,000.00	
Received from State,	700.00	
Balance from 1944,	571.11	
	<hr/>	\$3,271.11

EXPENDITURES

Fryeburg Academy, tuition,	\$1,163.75	
Town of Standish, tuition,	541.64	
Town of New Gloucester, tuition,	100.00	
Town of Sebago, tuition,	970.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,775.39
Balance on hand, Feb. 7, 1945,		<hr/> \$495.72

SCHOOL REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$150.00	
Balance from 1944,	60.68	
	<hr/>	\$210.68

EXPENDITURES

Geo. Sanborn, repairs,	\$ 3.33	
Loring, Short & Harmon, flags,	14.78	
Lemuel Cotton & Son, flag-pole supplies,	3.00	
Carl F. Bully, repairs N. B. school house,	7.00	
L. C. Andrew, ceiling N. B. school house,	47.34	
The Strout Co., supplies for school repairs,	3.00	
Arthur Parker, installing school ceiling,	30.00	
Carroll Babb, paint etc.,	10.60	
Beckley & Cardy Co., window shades,	30.10	
D. B. Greene, school repairs,	12.40	
Linwood Hoyt, school repairs,	4.00	
Carroll Babb, labor and material N. B. chimney,	27.50	
Elmer Black, repairs organ bench,	5.00	
Harry E. McKenney, labor on N. B. chimney,	18.00	
The Strout Co., supplies for school repairs,	15.13	
Wentworth Bros., oil,	.57	
Fitch Lumber Co., brick for N. B. chimney,	12.55	
	<hr/>	\$244.30
Overdraft, Feb. 7, 1945,		<hr/> \$33.62

MUSIC IN SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00	
Balance from 1944,	5.47	
	<hr/>	\$405.47

EXPENDITURES

Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$396.00	
C. C. Buchard & Co., supplies,	5.58	
Boston Music Co., supplies,	5.59	
	<hr/>	\$407.17
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Overdraft, Feb. 7, 1945,		\$1.70

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin:

I am pleased to present, for your consideration, my third annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

The Burnell School was closed by vote of the Town at the last annual meeting and the pupils are being conveyed to the West Baldwin School.

Due to the small enrollment, the Pigeon Brook School was discontinued last fall by a vote of the Superintending School Committee. The children are being conveyed to the East and West Baldwin Schools.

The children can be given many more advantages in schools in which one teacher is not required to teach all nine grades.

We are very fortunate to have been able to retain all five of our teachers from last year. These teachers are all capable and are working hard to provide the children with the best educational opportunities possible. Mrs. Gladys Cartret attended Gorham Normal School during the summer.

Standard tests have been given again this year with very helpful results.

Maine Cumulative Record Cards are being used in all grades. These cards give a complete, permanent record of the progress of the pupil through school.

I hope that the citizens of Baldwin will provide for the installation of flush toilets in the East and West Baldwin schoolhouses. This may not be possible for the coming year, but it seems that some plans should be made for the near future.

We should have some nursing service in connection with the schools, as the need for this service has been apparent on several occasions during the year.

In closing I want to thank the teachers, the Superintending School Committee and all others who have contributed to the success of our educational program.

The following budget is requested for the coming school year:

Elementary schools,	\$6,000.00
High school tuition,	2,000.00
Music,	400.00
Books and supplies,	400.00
Repairs,	200.00
Lights,	80.00

Respectfully submitted,
LINDON E. CHRISTIE,
Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS BY GRADES

School	S. P.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
West Baldwin:										
Primary,	10	7	6	2	4					29
Grammar,						6	12	6	7	31
East Baldwin:										
Primary,	3	4	5	6	4					22
Grammar,						7	7	6	3	23
North Baldwin:	1	1	1		4		1	3	4	14

West Baldwin: Primary teacher, Mrs. Louise Gray, Grammar teacher, Mrs. Ida Ward. East Baldwin: Primary teacher, Miss Sarah Hill, Grammar teacher, Mrs. Gladys Cartret. North Baldwin teacher, Mrs. Nellie Black.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Elementary Schools

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$1,282.20
Amount raised by town,	6,000.00
Amount received from state school fund,	1,953.45
	<hr/> \$9,235.65

EXPENDITURES

Paid teachers,	\$5,110.96	
for fuel,	719.55	
janitors,	676.15	
for conveyance,	1,846.58	
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		\$8,353.24
Amount unexpended this year,		882.41
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		\$9,235.65

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

RESOURCES

Amount raised by town for books and supplies,	\$400.00
Amount raised by town for lights,	80.00
Amount received from Lindon Christie,	4.00
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	\$484.00

EXPENDITURES

Paid for books,	\$213.33	
for supplies,	206.30	
for lights,	62.84	
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		\$482.47
Amount unexpended this year,		1.53
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		\$484.00

MUSIC

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 5.47	
Amount raised by town,	400.00	
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	\$405.47	
Overdraft to balance,	1.70	
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		\$407.17

EXPENDITURES

Paid Flora Carpenter,	\$396.00	
for supplies,	11.17	
	<hr/>	\$407.17

REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 60.68	
Amount raised by town,	150.00	
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	\$210.68	
Overdraft to balance,	33.62	
	<hr/>	\$244.30

EXPENDITURES

Paid,	\$244.30
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HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 571.11	
Amount received from state school		
fund,	700.00	
Amount raised by town,	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,271.11

EXPENDITURES

Paid H. W. Hastings, treasurer,		
Fryeburg Academy,	\$1,163.75	
Town of Standish,	541.64	
Town of Sebago,	970.00	
Town of New Gloucester,	100.00	
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	\$2,775.39	
Amount unexpended this year,	495.72	
	<hr/>	\$3,271.11

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

I hereby certify that all money shown to have been received and disbursed is fully accounted for. In my opinion this report states the true financial condition of the Town of Baldwin, at February 7, 1945, and the correct result of administering its financial affairs.

GEORGE M. GRAFFAM,

Certified Public Accountant.

By: L. Everett Outhouse,

Portland, Maine.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Dog taxes collected and paid to State, \$114.20

The following lists contain the births, deaths and marriages reported to the clerk during the fiscal year 1944-45:

BIRTHS

1944

February 25, to Robert W. and Harriett M. Ladew, a son, Thomas Anthony.

February 26, to Theophile and Elsie C. Pelletier, a daughter, Yvette Cecile.

March 8, to Norman E. and Olive D. Douglas, a daughter, Norma Ann.

March 25, to Leonard M. and Elaine E. Locke, a daughter, Marsha Lee.

April 26, to Carroll E. and Eleanor B. Edwards, a daughter, Anne Carol.

May 31, to Clarence W. and Jeannette Harmon, a son.

June 13, to Thomas A. and Genevieve A. Powers, a son, Kenneth Jose.

June 21, to John H. and Maud E. Crawford, a daughter, Linda Lois.

June 23, to Philip E. and Viola G. Flagg, a son, Philip Edwin.

July 22, to Dennis L. and Alice V. Sanborn, a son, Dennis Leroy.

October 30, to Roland E. and Barbara H. Warren, a daughter, Bonita Eileen.

November 18, to Leon B. and Marjorie N. Cressey, a daughter, Virginia Lee.

December 23, to Linwood S. and Muriel I. Hoyt, a daughter, Melva Laraine.

DEATHS

1943

September 26, in Bridgton, Hattie A. Wiggin, aged 67 yrs. 8 mos. 18 days.

1944

March 6, in Portland, Delbert L. Cram, aged 68 yrs. 7 mos. 27 days.

March 24, in Baldwin, Harriett L. Bauckman, aged 64 yrs. 5 mos. 4 days.

June 30, in Bridgton, Emma W. Chadbourne, aged 72 yrs. 3 mos. 9 days.

August 14, in Casco, Ronald F. Welch, aged 7 days.

September 22, in Baldwin, Lena M. York, aged 69 yrs. 6 mos. 27 days.

September 24, in Baldwin, William C. Thombs, aged 58 yrs. 9 mos. 28 days.

October 30, in Bridgton, Annie Burnell, aged 80 yrs. 5 mos. 10 days.

November 21, in Augusta, George W. Schermerhorn, aged 72 yrs. 10 mos. 19 days.

November 22, in Portland, infant Cressey, aged 4 days.

November 25, in Portland, Fred A. Locke, aged 69 yrs. 3 mos. 5 days.

December 2, in Bridgton, Celia L. Mackey, aged 79 yrs. 12 days.

December 21, in Baldwin, William W. Burnell, aged 80 yrs. 6 mos. 6 days.

December 28, in Westbrook, Guy A. Townsend, aged 55 yrs. 3 mos. 19 days.

MARRIAGES

1944

February 20, Dennis L. Sanborn and Alice V. De-Renne, both of Baldwin.

May 1, Lieut. Ray C. Austin of Standish and Marjorie M. Wentworth of Baldwin.

August 19, Roger E. Jordan of Baldwin and Inez Pierce of Kezar Falls.

August 27, George H. Doughty, Jr. of Lexington, Mass. and Rachel Chase of Baldwin.

September 2, Wendell L. Ridlon of Baldwin and Virginia Knight of Gorham, Me.

October 3, Lewis A. Richardson of Denmark and Virginia Shaw of Bridgton.

October 26, Edson H. Stacy of Sebago and Catherine Parker of Baldwin.

November 3, Olin M. Thomas of Standish and Norma A. Eldridge of Baldwin.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.



M. Clarence Brown

West Babylon

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Annual Report

of the

Municipal Officers

of the

TOWN OF

BALDWIN

MAINE

For the Fiscal Year ending

FEBRUARY 2, 1946

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FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 2

1946

NOTICE

This report is condensed more than usual to save printing space.

Chester V. Small, Printing, Cornish, Maine

TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

R. C. SPENCER

J. C. BABB

R. E. WARREN

Superintending School Committee

BEATRICE BABB

HARRY SANBORN

JAMES A. WARREN

Superintendent of Schools

LINDON CHRISTIE

Treasurer and Collector

CHARLES E. SOMERS

Road Commissioners

J. HOWARD CARTRET

GEORGE E. SANBORN

EVERETT DAVIS

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector

CHARLES E. SOMERS

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affair, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 4th day of March, 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at the said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, tax collector, and constable, town clerk, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee, and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school buildings.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for textbooks and supplies in schoolrooms.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for music in the schools.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for lights in schoolrooms.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on improved roads.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for tarring third class roads.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the patrol of State highway, "Pequawket Trail" and State aid roads.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944, as amended.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$702.00 in order to entitle the town to the third class apportionment, as provided in the present statutes, for the maintenance of improved sections of third class roads or to be used in connection with the apportionment made by the State to be used for the reconstruction of third class roads.

Art. 19. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to make any arrangements, and what, in regard to snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, more or less, to be paid the Williams Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day Fund.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504.00, more or less, for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a Certified Public Accountant to audit town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1946 taxes.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and the outstanding notes.

Art. 29. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deed for such property.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize selectmen to, collect unpaid taxes due the town, these to be paid or taken from any form of wages paid by the town.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal, sanding machine, or plows, and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 32. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding the purchase of fire-fighting equipment and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 33. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding raising and appropriating the sum of \$50.00, more or less, for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Chapter 5, Section 82, of the Revised Statutes. Article suggested by the State of Maine Publicity Bureau.

Art. 34. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the eradication of White Pine blister, the same to be expended in accordance with the laws of Maine. ~~\$2.00~~ recommended by Forest Commissioner. *200.00*

Art. 35. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of the F. A. Locke note.

Art. 36. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding care of neglected cemeteries, as required by law, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 37. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding hiring health nurse and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 38. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding a memorial, appointing a committee, etc., and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to insulate and paint the school houses at East and West Baldwin, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to improve the heating system at West Baldwin school house, or install a new one, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to install flush toilets at West Baldwin school house and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 42. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding a guard-rail on the so-called Pierce Hill on 3rd class road, and raise and appropriate money for same.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 2nd day of February, 1946.

R. C. SPENCER,

J. C. BABB,

R. E. WARREN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1946

Art. 4.	Schools,	\$6,000.00
Art. 5.	Repairs,	1,500.00
Art. 6.	Textbooks and supplies,	400.00
Art. 7.	Music,	400.00
Art. 8.	Tuition,	1,500.00
Art. 9.	Lights,	80.00
Art. 10.	Poor relief,	1,500.00
Art. 11.	Roads and bridges,	3,000.00
Art. 12.	Miscellaneous,	1,440.00
Art. 13.	Bushes on town roads,	300.00
Art. 14.	Bushes on improved roads,	200.00
Art. 16.	Patrol,	1,300.00
Art. 18.	Third class maintenance,	702.00
Art. 20.	Officers' compensation,	1,400.00
Art. 21.	Snow removal,	1,800.00
Art. 23.	Memorial Day,	
Art. 24.	Cemetery fund,	25.00
Art. 25.	Street lights,	504.00
Art. 26.	C. P. A.,	70.00
Art. 28.	Interest,	250.00

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending February 2, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. SPENCER,

J. C. BABB,

R. E. WARREN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1944 ASSESSMENT, VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1945

Real estate, non-resident,	\$435,492.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	8,820.00
Real estate, resident,	146,240.00
Personal estate, resident,	17,170.00
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Total valuation,	\$607,722.00
Appropriated by town, March,	
1945,	\$24,491.00
State tax,	5,087.88
County tax,	1,108.45
Overlay,	914.21
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Property tax,	\$31,601.54
Poll tax,	438.00
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Committed to collector,	\$32,039.54
Supplementary tax, \$126.86.	
Polls taxed, 146.	
Polls not taxed, 68.	
Rate of taxation, \$7 .052.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

47 horses,	\$2,745.00
155 cows,	6,975.00
23 oxen, bulls and beef,	1,175.00
30 heifers over 2 years,	750.00
11 heifers, 18 mos. to 2 years,	220.00
2 swine,	30.00
2,700 poultry,	1,680.00
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	\$13,575.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in tradē,	\$3,300.00	
16 gasoline tanks and pumps,	1,550.00	
72 radios,	720.00	
Lumber,	3,885.00	
Other property,	3,130.00	
	<hr/>	\$12,415.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

109 year-olds,	\$1,635.00	
45 swine,	675.00	
1,201 poultry,	720.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,030.00

ABATEMENTS

Wilbur Black, overtaxed,	\$10.40	
Mayo Cram, poll, paid in Lovell,	3.00	
Millard Dow, poll, paid in Lewiston,	3.00	
Avard Dow, poll, paid in Portland,	3.00	
John C. Flint, over 70,	3.00	
Deering Lumber Co.,	11.44	
Heirs of D. T. Richardson,	26.00	
Ralph Irish, in service,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$62.84

UNPAID TAXES**Resident**

Paid since February 2,	\$ 3.00
Albert H. Burnell,	19.12
George Bilder,	3.00
Harry Dyer,	6.90
Arthur Dyer,	56.16
Percy Estes,	3.00
Donald Estes,	3.00
Clarence Harmon,	15.34
Perley Howard,	3.00
Ralph Irish,	16.90

John T. Jewell,	20.80	
Willard H. Luery,	54.70	
Herbert Libby,	.52	
Verne Neil,	3.00	
Horace Richardson, Heirs,	.52	
Edwin Ribas,	32.96	
Elizabeth Spencer, Heirs,	10.40	
Francis Wilson,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$255.32

Non-Resident

Herbert E. Brown,	\$49.40	
Herbert E. Brown,	15.60	
Louis Brown,	7.28	
John Fullerton,	8.32	
William Nevers,	1.30	
Mrs. Frederick Gardner,	15.60	
Myron Lord,	10.40	
Deering P. Merrill,	3.12	
Morton Rowe, Heirs,	5.20	
Charles W. Sanborn,	.52	
	<hr/>	\$116.74

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town of Baldwin, February 2, 1946

ASSETS

Cash on hand,	\$3,070.83	
Uncollected taxes of 1945,	372.06	
Accounts receivable,	208.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,650.89

LIABILITIES

Notes payable,	\$1,000.00	
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Balance in favor of town,		\$2,650.89

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$1,200.00
Lindon E. Christie, supt. of schools,	\$380.08
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	90.00
Olive Burnell, election clerk,	4.00
Frank Hodgdon, election clerk,	4.00
Roscoe Spencer, moderator,	5.00
C. E. Somers, auto excise collector,	48.00
R. C. Spencer, selectman, assess- or and overseer of poor,	300.00
J. C. Babb, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
Roland Warren, selectman, as- sessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
J. Howard Cartret, constable and mileage,	8.30
Beatrice Babb, school committee,	21.60
Harry F. Sanborn, school committee,	21.60
James A. Warren, school committee,	21.60
Charles E. Somers, treasurer,	120.00
Charles E. Somers, collector,	120.00
	<hr/> \$1,324.18
Overdrawn, Feb. 2, 1946,	<hr/> \$124.18

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$637.87
Frank M. York, labor,	216.24
Norman Whitney, labor,	49.71
Frank Wood, labor, men, etc.,	31.92
Irving Thombs, labor,	23.68
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	5.00
Everett Davis, truck,	30.00
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	12.50
	<hr/> \$1,006.95

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

George Sanborn, commissioner,	\$195.55
George Sanborn, truck,	274.77
Joseph Stokes, labor,	148.46
Edward MacNeill, labor,	111.40
J. M. Moore, labor,	9.94
Nelson Estes, labor,	3.16
George H. Burnell, road drag,	4.34
Albert Locke, labor and truck,	31.00
Leonard Locke, labor,	17.18
Walter Dearborn, labor,	22.32
Harry T. Sanborn, tractor,	4.44
Charles Bliss, labor,	115.12
Harland Bliss, labor,	53.22
Harvey Bliss, labor,	92.08
A. C. Bowie, labor,	5.00
Gordon Cram, labor,	5.28
Wood's Garage, account road grades,	6.35
George Sanborn, supplies,	4.26
Knights and Roberts, gravel,	1.80
Leon Ayer, gravel,	2.50
Walter Poor, gravel,	3.00
Bancroft and Martin, culvert,	33.60
Collector of Internal Revenue,	98.20
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	\$1,242.97

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$233.88
Everett Davis, truck,	274.62
Frank M. York, labor,	18.40
Norman McKenney, truck,	4.38
Clarence Crawford, labor,	39.25
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	209.95
Fred Mason, labor,	6.56
M. P. Fitch, supplies,	2.88
George Mullen, plank,	66.40
David Harmon, team, etc.,	10.00
J. H. Murch, team, etc.,	5.62

Norman Berry, labor,	2.50	
Wendall Wiggin, team and labor,	26.95	
Will Wentworth, labor,	8.25	
John Wentworth, labor,	7.58	
Fred Robbins, labor,	4.38	
Eben Harmon, labor,	2.50	
Irving Thombs, labor,	2.50	
John Crawford, gravel,	.80	
Nellie Cartret, gravel,	.80	
Arvilla Wentworth, gravel,	.70	
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	9.07	
Edward Howard, labor,	2.00	
Will Cram, truck, labor,	12.48	
F. C. Wilson, labor,	2.66	
Henry Crawford, labor,	15.83	
Percy Robbins, labor,	1.25	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	25.30	
		\$990.49
Appropriated by town,		\$3,000.00
East Baldwin, roads,	\$1,006.95	
West Baldwin, roads, including tax,	1,242.97	
North Baldwin, roads, including tax,	990.49	
		3,240.41
Overdrawn, Feb. 2, 1946,		\$240.41

STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION RESOURCES

Amount carried by town from previous year,	\$533.00	
Unexpended, as of Feb. 9, 1943,	68.97	
		\$601.97

EXPENDITURES

Howard Cartret, truck for State aid sand,	\$21.48
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Frank M. York, labor, for State aid sand,	7.98	
		<hr/> \$29.46

Balance on hand Feb. 2, 1946, \$572.51

UNIMPROVED ROADS MAINTENANCE

Unexpended,	\$ 5.21
Available,	748.00

Available as of Feb. 2, 1946, \$753.21

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

George Sanborn, commissioner,	\$181.18	
George Sanborn, truck,	228.44	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	143.63	
J. M. Moore, labor,	30.70	
Nelson Estes, labor,	19.21	
Walter Dearborn, labor,	32.88	
Leonard Locke, labor,	29.06	
Albert Locke, truck, etc.,	40.42	
Harvey Bliss, labor,	44.12	
Koppers Co., tar,	99.00	
Charles Bliss, labor,	37.08	
Harland Bliss, labor,	31.90	
Alfred Jewell, labor,	4.62	
Lester Burnell, gas and oil for mixer,	3.48	
Wood's Garage, grader repairs,	8.26	
R. C. Spencer, account 3rd class road,	10.00	
Emery Waterhouse Co., supplies,	13.22	
		<hr/> \$1,111.80
Appropriated by town,	\$ 702.00	
Appropriated for tar,	1,500.00	
Rental of tar mixer,	1.50	
		<hr/> \$2,203.50
Balance on hand Feb. 2, 1946,		<hr/> \$1,091.71

STATEMENT OF BALDWIN THIRD CLASS RECONSTRUCTION

Apportioned by State in 1945,	\$889.91	
Transferred from T. C. Construction (9060),	148.86	
	<hr/>	\$1,038.77
Expended by State (for tar),		\$661.56
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Available from State on account,		\$377.21

TOWN BUSHES

M. P. Fitch, scythes, etc.,	\$ 7.50	
George Sanborn, commissioner,	80.78	
George Sanborn, truck,	100.34	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	69.58	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	77.48	
Everett Davis, commissioner,	64.24	
Everett Davis, truck,	12.97	
J. H. Crawford, Jr., labor,	12.64	
Guy Jones, labor,	23.84	
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	11.30	
Howard Cartret, commissioner,	26.19	
Frank York, labor,	66.20	
Irving Thombs, labor,	66.50	
Melvin Thombs, labor,	5.32	
	<hr/>	\$624.88
Appropriated by town,	\$300.00	
Balance from 1945,	152.43	
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Overdraft, Feb. 2, 1945,		\$172.45

BUSHES, IMPROVED ROADS

Guy Ridlon, mowing bushes, 3rd class,	\$ 8.50
George Sanborn, commissioner,	81.12

George Sanborn, truck,	89.48	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	63.16	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	72.11	
Alfred Jewell, mowing bushes,	8.75	
Everett Davis, commissioner,	12.44	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	15.10	
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	11.10	
Guy Jones, labor,	13.00	
Howard Cartret, truck,	19.25	
Frank York, labor,	7.26	
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		\$401.27
Appropriated by town,	\$800.00	
Balance from 1945,	616.63	
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		\$1,416.63
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Balance on hand Feb. 2,		
1946,		\$1,015.36

POOR RELIEF

R. C. Spencer, acct. car hire,	\$ 10.00
Mrs. A. C. Stults, acct. board of Zilpha Rowe,	240.00
Arthur Rowe, acct. board of Zilpha Rowe,	270.00
George E. Sanborn, acct. supplies for N. Riley,	7.18
Kenneth E. Dore, M. D., acct. services for Leon Cressey,	28.00
J. L. Chick, acct. milk for M. Judkins,	59.04
Rodney Warren, acct. wood for M. Judkins,	7.50
L. H. Chute, acct. supplies for M. Judkins,	152.94
S. G. Sawyer, M. D., acct. services Willard Hodgdon,	10.00
Norman Lindquist, ambulance, W. Hodgdon to Augusta,	35.00
Roland Warren, acct. of W. Hodgdon to Augusta,	10.00
Will Cram, acct. board of M. Walker children,	185.00
Lois Bliss, acct. board of N. Riley,	272.00
Melvin Cook, acct. 5 cords wood for M. Judkins,	85.00

Roger Riley, acct. cutting and hauling wood, O. F. Gupstill,	48.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. services W. Hodgdon,	10.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. M. Judkins, 1944-45,	77.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. Erma Thombs, 1945,	39.50
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. Ervin Thombs,	2.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct, G. Thompson family,	8.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. Annie Estes, 1944,	18.25

\$1,574.41

Appropriated by town,	\$1,000.00
Due from outside accounts,	180.00
Received of Zilpha Rowe,	300.00
Received of Vance Watson for tramp house,	10.00
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	\$1,490.00

Overdraft, Feb. 2, 1946, \$84.41

SNOW REMOVAL

(Including Sanding, Plowing and Snow Fence)

Murray Milliken, tractor, plowing, etc.,	\$ 122.70
Paul Estes, tractor, plowing, etc.,	56.10
Mayo Cram, tractor, plowing, etc.,	88.40
Leonard Locke, tractor, plowing, etc.,	140.30
Donald York, tractor, plowing, etc.,	127.90
Lester Burnell, gas for tractor,	96.52
Raymond Wood, gas for tractor,	31.91
Wendall Wiggin, snow removal,	10.00
Howard Cartret, plowing snow,	1,211.35
Howard Cartret, sanding, snow removal,	158.40
Frank Wood, sand,	1.10
Everett Davis, commissioner, snow re- moval, sanding, etc.,	162.78

Everett Davis, truck,	148.56
Fred Mason, snow removal,	5.00
Clarence Crawford, sanding and snow removal,	21.27
John Crawford, Jr., sanding and snow removal,	31.43
Frank M. York, sanding and snow removal,	149.64
Arnold Wentworth, sanding and snow removal,	15.32
Norman McKenney, truck,	17.76
Rowe Motors, Inc., gas for tractor,	19.41
H. F. Ward, gas for tractor,	9.72
Twitchell's Garage, gas for tractor,	6.30
Gordon Milliken, plowing and equipment,	36.00
Fred Locke, plowing,	18.00
Guy Ridlon, plowing and equipment,	50.00
J. H. Murch, truck, sanding,	3.03
Bailey Auto Supply, tractor supplies,	89.74
George Sanborn, tractor supplies,	11.88
George Sanborn, commissioner, sanding, snow removal, tractor,	257.12
George Sanborn, truck,	261.41
Edward MacNeill, sanding and snow removal,	92.83
Joseph Stokes,	100.69
Fred Robbins, sanding,	1.25
Maine Steel Inc., repairs,	12.04
E. Corey & Co., repairs,	9.62
Arthur Powers, truck, sanding,	28.93
Wood's Garage, repairing grousers, etc.,	358.68
R. C. Spencer, snow removal,	30.00
Portland Tractor Co., snow plow repairs,	23.00
Central Maine Power Co., plow shed lights,	12.00
Collector of Internal Revenue,	101.29
W. H. Shurtleff, salt,	171.20
Lester Burnell, lights and flashes for tractor,	10.00

Franklin Insurance Co., tractor and plows,	18.40
W. H. Cram, labor, sanding,	23.94
Ralph Crawford, sanding,	66.71
Alton Thorne, sanding,	2.66
Howard Cartret, plow lights,	6.59
Lester Burnell, 30 gallons oil for tractor,	36.00
Maurice Tufts, sanding, snow removal,	13.86
Lawrence Moore, sanding, snow removal,	3.96
Alfred Jewell, plowing and tractor repairing,	149.70
Harvey Bliss, plowing and tractor repairing,	150.38
Raymond Murch, plowing and tractor repairing,	119.50
Howard Cartret, sanding,	69.80
R. L. Files & H. J. O'Keefe Co., plow jack,	85.00
Norman Murch, sanding,	13.63
Wesley Sanborn, sanding,	5.32
Percy Robbins, sanding	9.98
Guy Jones, sanding,	2.66
F. C. Wilson, sanding,	7.98
Irving Thombs, sanding,	2.50
American Automobile Ins., tractor,	8.55
Harland Bliss, sanding,	4.34
Walter Dearborn, snow removal,	6.82
Charles Bliss, snow removal,	9.78
Wood's Garage, plow repairs,	39.37
Howard Cartret, hauling salt,	21.00
Municipal Steel Co., truck plow blades,	301.30
Municipal Steel Co., tractor blades,	281.16
Maud Locke, supplies,	1.20
Murray Milliken, plowing with truck,	23.40
Southworth Machine Co., repairs,	2.00
H. F. Partridge, tractor gas,	34.94
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	\$5,833.01

Appropriated by town,	\$1,800.00	
Received from State,	1,650.47	
Maintenance account,	256.80	
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		\$2,125.74

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

(Including Cemetery, Memorial Funds, etc.)

Wood's Garage, acct. miscellaneous welding,	\$ 10.35
Warren's Express, acct. express,	.88
Guy Ridlon, acct. car hire,	3.00
J. C. Babb, acct. car hire,	20.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. postage in town reports,	4.00
J. C. Babb, acct. telephone,	8.50
Rachel Doughty, acct. typing town warrant,	2.50
R. C. Spencer, acct. telephone and postage,	120.00
New England Telephone Co., Somer's telephone,	44.10
R. C. Spencer, acct. miscellaneous expenses,	65.00
Chester V. Small, acct. town reports (375),	87.50
Chester V. Small, acct. ballots,	8.75
R. C. Spencer, acct. car hire,	95.00
Town of Standish, acct. fires,	420.35
Ida F. Ward, acct. clerk's supplies,	11.21
Marks Printing House, acct. supplies,	20.35
Century Indemnity Co., acct. Bond, treasurer and collector,	75.00
Williams-Goodwin Post, acct. Memorial fund,	35.00
Chester V. Small, acct. town supplies,	8.25
West Baldwin Grange, acct. hall rent,	50.00
Ernest Warren, acct. clearing old cemetery,	4.00

Frank Piper, acct. tax liens,	13.68
Joses Murch, acct. fire,	1.00
Fred Robbins, acct. fire,	1.00
David Harmon, acct. fire,	1.00
Norman Berry, acct. fire,	1.00
Guy M. Jones, acct. fire,	1.00
H. F. Partridge, acct. fire,	1.00
J. C. Babb, acct. fire,	1.00
Edward Howard, acct. fire,	2.00
D. B. Smith & Co., acct. repairs fire fighters,	3.68
W. B. Andrews, acct. cemetery fund,	25.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, acct. town supplies,	30.29
George M. Graffam, acct. audit,	65.00
Wood's Garage, acct. repairs, Indian pump,	3.50
Hutchin's Brothers, acct. collector's supplies,	7.50
F. G. Congdon, acct. express,	1.34
Cumberland Co., Health Asso., acct. dental clinic,	50.00
Edgar Corliss, acct. services,	10.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, acct. clerk's supplies,	9.50
R. C. Spencer, acct. trips to Bridgton and Portland,	15.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, acct. treasurer's supplies,	16.31
Dr. Harry Lyons, acct. dental clinic,	75.00
Francis Chase, acct. janitor for clinic,	5.00
J. C. Babb, acct. car, telephone, postage,	75.00
Cumberland Health Asso., acct. seals,	2.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, acct. Soldier's Record Book,	9.50
The U. S. Auto Guide, acct. excise collector,	4.50
Town of Limerick, acct. Gunter fire,	75.00
New Lincoln Hotel, acct. dinners District nurse,	13.70

E. D. Chadbourne, acct. fire warden,	14.25
R. C. Spencer, acct. fires and chimney inspection,	15.00
S. G. Sawyer, M. D., quarantine scarlet fever,	5.00
Town of Hiram, acct. of fire at Swasey Burnell's,	19.00
Lindon Merrill, acct. watching fire at S. Burnell's,	4.00

\$1,670.49

Appropriated by town,	\$1,000.00	
Memorial Day fund,	35.00	
Cemetery fund,	25.00	
Certified Public Accountant,	70.00	
Neglected cemeteries,	100.00	
Health nurse,	25.00	
Dental clinic,	100.00	
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		\$1,355.00

Overdraft, Feb. 2, 1946, \$315.49

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$504.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co., for lights,	\$504.00

PATROL MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by town,	\$1,300.00
Town's requisition,	\$1,043.20
Balance to snow removal,	256.80
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	\$1,300.00

INTEREST ON NOTES

Interest paid by warrant,	\$232.50
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GIFT TO TOWN OF BALDWIN

Received from Mrs. Zilpha Rowe,	\$100.00
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REPAIR ON TRACTOR HOUSE

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
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Unexpended Feb. 2, 1946, \$200.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

DEBITS

February 7, 1945, to February 4, 1946

Balance on hand,	\$ 1,455.57
Zilpha J. Rowe, as a gift to the town,	100.00
Tax collector, 1944 taxes,	438.02
J. E. Gunter, 1941-42-43 taxes,	100.00
Estate Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	2,000.00
Zilpha J. Rowe, board allowance,	300.00
Tax collector, 1938 taxes,	20.00
Estate Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	4,000.00
Estate Fred A. Locke, temporary loan,	2,500.00
Hazel Ward, use of cement mixer,	1.50
Vance Watson, purchase of old tramp house,	10.00
L. E. Christie, school supplies,	4.23
Treasurer of school fund,	100.00
R. C. Spencer, refund on supplies,	6.08
Tax collector, 1945 excise tax,	646.99
Treasurer of State, snow removal,	1,650.47
Treasurer of State, highway sand,	6.30
Treasurer of State, State school fund,	3,457.38
Treasurer of State, bank stock tax,	10.95
Treasurer of State, special project (school),	15.00
Treasurer of State, dog tax refund,	29.49
Treasurer of State, telephone and telephone tax,	.60
Collector of taxes, 1945 taxes,	31,731.50
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	\$48,584.08

CREDITS

Grace M. Wood, stamped envelopes,	\$ 17.44
Ellie K. Hawes, county tax,	1,108.45
Treasurer of State, State tax,	5,087.88
Estate Fred A. Locke, temporary loans,	8,500.00
State Highway Commission, maintenance,	1,043.20
Estate Fred A. Locke, to apply on note,	1,000.00
Stamps bought,	39.89
Warrants 1 to 103 inclusive, paid,	28,716.39
Balance on hand,	3,070.83
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	\$48,584.08

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. SOMERS, Treasurer.

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Ida F. Ward,	\$956.00
Gladys Cartret,	865.90
Louise Gray,	817.85
Nellie Black,	965.80
Sarah Hill,	399.50
Christine Wormwood,	494.90
Ethelyn Christie, clerk,	60.00
Collector of Internal Revenue,	464.10
Treasurer of State, pension,	
Louise Gray,	48.60
Gladys Cartret, expenses to elementary workshop,	65.00
	————— \$5,137.65

FUEL FOR SCHOOL HOUSES

Beatrice Babb, paid for sawing wood,	\$ 1.50
J. C. Babb, wood for school,	55.50
M. W. Cook, 19½ cords of wood,	300.00
Harry F. Ward, wood and trucking,	75.00
Frank Wentworth, putting in wood,	25.00
M. W. Cook, sawing wood,	50.00
Leon Murch, 5½ cords of wood,	88.00
Roger Riley, hauling wood,	24.00
Preston Sanborn, 8 cords of wood,	88.00
Carl Hawkins, sawing 5 cords of wood,	12.50
	————— \$719.50

JANITORS AND CLEANING

Arthur Rowe, janitor, W. B.,	\$174.00
W. B. Andrews, janitor, W. B.,	180.00
Frank Wentworth, janitor, E. B.,	322.50
Paul Murch, janitor, N. B.,	59.00

Beatrice Babb, supplies for janitor,	1.00	
Locke's store, supplies for janitor,	11.51	
H. F. Partridge, supplies for janitor,	1.93	
Albert Burnell, cleaning out-		
buildings,	5.00	
Katherine Welch, oiling floors, etc.,	3.50	
Eva M. Hoyt, cleaning E. B.		
school house,	12.30	
Muriel C. Hoyt, cleaning E. B.		
school house,	12.30	
Mrs. Ellsworth Moore, cleaning		
W. B. school house,	12.45	
Daisy Whitten, cleaning W. B.		
school house,	12.45	
Katherine Welch, cleaning N. B.		
school house,	12.50	
Paul Murch, cleaning out-buildings,	2.50	
Ralph Crawford, cleaning E. and		
N. B. school houses,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$852.94

CONVEYANCE

Century Liability Insurance Com-		
pany, insurance on school buses, \$	32.49	
John O. Sanborn,	700.00	
Melvin Cook,	900.00	
Louise Gray,	420.00	
Edson Brown,	108.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,160.49

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, COMMON SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$6,000.00	
Received from State,	2,537.38	
School fund,	100.00	
Balance from 1945,	880.41	
	<hr/>	\$9,517.79

EXPENDITURES

Teachers' salaries,	\$5,137.65	
Fuel,	719.50	
Janitors and cleaning,	852.94	
Conveyance,	2,160.49	
	<hr/>	\$8,870.58

Balance on hand, Feb. 2, 1946,	\$647.21
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BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00	
Appropriated for school lights,	80.00	
Money received by refund,	4.23	
Balance from 1945,	1.53	
	<hr/>	\$485.76

EXPENDITURES

Beatrice Babb, telephone, etc.,	\$ 2.50
Central Maine Power Co., lights,	51.50
Treasurer, State of Maine, supplies,	4.00
Iroquois Publishing Co., books,	3.76
J. L. Hammett Co., books,	6.45
Maine Health Asso., charts, etc.,	.65
The MacMillivin Co., books, etc.,	14.06
Scott Foresman & Co., supplies,	55.90
World Book Co., supplies,	7.31
Beckley Cardy Co., books,	59.07
Webster Publishing Co., supplies,	
etc.,	8.34
Ginn & Co., books,	113.66
Gledhill Bros., Inc., supplies,	39.44
Papercrafters P. School Div.,	23.33
Remington Rand, Inc., supplies,	1.80

Lindon E. Christie, telephone and postage,	8.18	
American Book Co.,	14.17	
Allyn & Bacon,	21.92	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	24.71	
The Webb-Smith Printing Co., supplies,	4.00	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.,	.58	
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	2.73	
Floor Shine Wax Co.,	6.89	
O. H. Toothaker,	5.48	
		<hr/> \$480.43
Balance on hand, Feb. 2, 1946,		<hr/> \$5.33

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$2,000.00	
Received from State,	875.00	
Balance from 1945,	495.72	
		<hr/> \$3,370.72

EXPENDITURES

Town of New Gloucester, tuition,	\$ 100.00	
Fryeburg Academy, tuition,	1,050.00	
Town of Standish, tuition,	108.33	
Town of Sebago, tuition,	1,122.20	
		<hr/> \$2,380.53
Balance on hand, Feb. 2, 1946,		<hr/> \$990.19

SCHOOL REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
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EXPENDITURES

Beatrice Babb, repair supplies,	\$1.50	
Perley Thorne, repair lights N. B. school,	1.00	
Arthur Rowe, repair supplies W. B. school,	2.88	
Ralph Crawford, repair N. B. school,	3.00	
Strout Co., damper,	.30	
	<hr/>	\$8.68
Balance on hand, Feb. 2, 1946,		<hr/> \$191.32

MUSIC IN SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00	
Received from State,	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$460.00

EXPENDITURES

Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$396.00	
Silver Burdett Co., supplies,	21.57	
C. C. Buchard Co., music books,	12.19	
	<hr/>	\$429.76
Balance on hand, Feb. 2, 1946,		<hr/> \$30.24

expended school yard fund, \$500.00

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin:

I hereby submit for your consideration, my fourth annual report as Superintendent of your schools.

Three schools are in operation this year with five teachers employed. The only change in the teaching staff is the replacement of Miss Sarah Hill by Miss Christine Wormwood. Miss Hill left to accept a position in Saco.

Mrs. Gladys Cartret was one of the teachers of Union, No. 9, to attend the University of Maine Elementary School Workshop during the past summer.

We have again been fortunate in retaining our capable teachers in a time of critical teacher shortage.

Rather extensive repairs should be made on the buildings at West Baldwin and East Baldwin. These repairs should include installing flush toilets, painting both buildings, and improving the heating system in the West Baldwin building. Further delay in painting these buildings will cause deterioration which will be expensive to the town. Great fuel savings would result from insulating the buildings.

The dental clinic, held at the West Baldwin, through the co-operation of the Cumberland County Public Health Association was very successful. All the children were examined and 245 corrections made. This clinic should be continued if it is possible to do so.

More health service should be provided for the children, including the services of a school nurse. Hot lunches would be very beneficial to the school children.

We should strive in this post-war period to improve the educational opportunities of our boys and girls so they may be as well prepared to face adult life as any of the boys and girls of Maine.

In closing I want to thank all those whose co-operation has contributed to the success of our schools.

The following budget is requested for the following year:

Elementary schools,	\$6,000.00
High school tuition,	1,500.00
Music,	400.00
Books and supplies,	400.00
Repairs,	1,500.00
Lights,	80.00

Respectfully submitted,

LINDON E. CHRISTIE,

Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

School	Sub. Pri.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total	Teacher
West Baldwin Primary, 10	7	7	7	5	4					33	Louise Gray
West Baldwin Grammar,						4	6	12	5	27	Ida Ward
East Baldwin Primary, 8	3	2	2	2	5					20	Christine Wormwood
East Baldwin Grammar,						2	5	4	6	17	Gladys Cartret
North Baldwin,	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	11	Nellie Black
									Music,		Flora Carpenter

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Elementary Schools

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 880.41	
Amount raised by town,	6,000.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	2,537.38	
Amount received from ministerial school fund,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,517.79

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Teachers,	\$5,137.65	
Fuel,	719.50	
Janitor and cleaning,	852.94	
Conveyance,	2,160.49	
	<hr/>	\$8,870.58
Amount unexpended this year,	647.21	
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		\$9,517.79

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 1.53	
Amount raised by town for books and supplies,	400.00	
Amount raised by town for lights,	80.00	
Amount received from Allyn and Bacon,	4.23	
	<hr/>	\$485.76

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Books and supplies,	\$428.93	
For lights,	51.50	
	<hr/>	\$480.43
Amount unexpended this year,	5.33	
		<hr/>
		\$485.76

MUSIC RESOURCES

Amount raised by town,	\$400.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$460.00

EXPENDITURES

Paid:		
Flora Carpenter, teacher,	\$396.00	
For supplies,	33.76	
	<hr/>	\$429.76
Amount unexpended this year,		30.24
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		\$460.00

REPAIRS RESOURCES

Amount raised by town,	\$200.00
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EXPENDITURES

Paid,	\$ 8.68	
Amount unexpended this year,	191.32	
	<hr/>	\$200.00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 495.72	
Amount raised by town,	2,000.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	875.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,370.72

EXPENDITURES

Paid:		
H. W. Hastings, treasurer, Fryeburg Academy,	\$1,050.00	
Town of Sebago,	1,122.20	
Town of Standish,	108.33	
Town of New Gloucester,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,370.72

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Dog taxes collected and paid to State, \$111.20

Because of Section 388, Chapter 320, of the Maine State Laws of 1945, reports of marriages, births and deaths are omitted from this Town Report.

For the benefit of those people who are unfamiliar with this new state law I quote:

“It shall be unlawful for the State Registrar or any employee of the State, or any clerk or employee of a municipality to disclose data contained in records pertaining to births, marriages and deaths except upon direct application by persons having a real and tangible interest in the matter recorded.”

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

I hereby certify that all money shown to have been received and disbursed is fully accounted for. In my opinion this report states the true financial condition of the Town of Baldwin, at February 4, 1946, and the correct result of administering its financial affairs.

GEORGE M. GRAFFAM,

Certified Public Accountant.

By: L. Everett Outhouse,
Portland, Maine.

Mr. Clarence D. Davis

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Annual Report

of the

Municipal Officers

of the

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MAINE

For the Fiscal Year ending

FEBRUARY 10, 1947

ANNUAL REPORT
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NOTICE

This report is condensed more than usual to save printing space.

TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

R. C. SPENCER

R. E. WARREN

NORMAN BERRY

Superintending School Committee

BEATRICE BABB

KENNETH BOOTHBY

ARLENE BLACK

Superintendents of Schools

LINDON CHRISTIE

WALTER PULSIFER

Treasurer and Collector

CHARLES E. SOMERS

Road Commissioners

J. HOWARD CARTRET

LEONARD LOCKE

EVERETT DAVIS

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector

CHARLES E. SOMERS

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 3rd day of March, 1947, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article. 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at the said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, tax collector, and constable, town clerk, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee, and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school buildings.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for textbooks and supplies in schoolrooms.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for music in the schools.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for lights in schoolrooms.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the patrol of State highway, "Pequawket Trail" and State aid roads.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944, as amended.

Art. 16. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to make any arrangements, and what, in regard to snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, more or less, to be paid the Williams Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day Fund.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504.00, more or less, for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a Certified Public Accountant to audit town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1946 taxes.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and the outstanding notes.

Art. 26. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deed for such property.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize selectmen to, collect unpaid taxes due the town, these to be paid or taken from any form of wages paid by the town.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal, sanding machine, or plows, and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 29. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding the purchase of fire-fighting equipment and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 30. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding raising and appropriating the sum of \$50.00, more or less, for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Chapter 5, Section 82, of the Revised Statutes. Article suggested by the State of Maine Publicity Bureau.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the eradication of White Pine blister, the same to be expended in accordance with the laws of Maine. \$200.00 recommended by Forest Commissioner.

Art. 32. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin, said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to hold a dental clinic and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to lease the Grange Hall for a term of years from April 21, 1947, the expiration of the present lease.

Art. 35. To see what action, if any, the town will take on the report of the Soldier Memorial committee.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the Public Library at East Baldwin.

Art. 38. To see what action the town will take in regard to accepting a trust fund from Hannah Woodman, and others, for the maintenance of the Brown Cemetery at Valley Lodge.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money necessary to take care of overdrafts.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to remodel and make additional room at the West Baldwin schoolhouse.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to remodel and make additional room at the West Baldwin schoolhouse.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote, taken at the last special town meeting, to sell the Burnell and Pigeon Brook schoolhouses.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to re-open the Burnell school at its present site.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to instruct its selectmen to retain the Pigeon Brook schoolhouse for a storeroom and office.

Art. 45. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of a school bus or school buses.

Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to appoint a committee to study the situation regarding the building of one schoolhouse to accommodate the students of Baldwin and report at a future meeting.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 10th day of February, 1947.

R. C. SPENCER,

R. E. WARREN,

NORMAN BERRY,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1947

Recommended by School Committee

Art. 4.	Schools,	\$10,000.00
Art. 5.	Repairs,	2,000.00
Art. 6.	Textbooks and supplies,	650.00
Art. 7.	Music,	535.00
Art. 8.	Tuition,	4,000.00
Art. 9.	Lights,	70.00

Recommended by Selectmen

Art. 10.	Poor relief,	1,800.00
Art. 11.	Roads and bridges,	3,000.00
Art. 12.	Miscellaneous,	1,500.00
Art. 13.	Bushes on town roads,	500.00
Art. 14.	Patrol,	1,500.00
Art. 17.	Officers' compensation,	1,400.00
Art. 18.	Snow removal,	2,000.00
Art. 20.	Memorial Day,	35.00
Art. 21.	Cemetery fund,	25.00
Art. 22.	Street lights,	504.00
Art. 23.	C. P. A.,	70.00
Art. 25.	Interest,	300.00

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending February 10, 1947.

Respectfully, submitted,

R. C. SPENCER,

R. E. WARREN,

NORMAN BERRY,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1946 ASSESSMENT, VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1946

Real estate, non-resident,	\$434,137.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	14,401.00
Real estate, resident,	148,415.00
Personal estate, resident,	20,537.00
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Total valuation,	\$617,490.00
Appropriated by town, March,	
1946,	\$32,132.00
State tax,	5,087.88
County tax,	1,108.45
Overlay,	1,191.03
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Property tax,	\$39,519.36
Poll tax,	486.00
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Committed to collector,	\$40,005.36
Supplementary tax, \$33.00.	
Polls taxed, 162.	
Polls not taxed, 51.	
Rate of taxation, \$.064.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

50 horses,	\$3,250.00
159 cows,	8,745.00
21 oxen, bulls and beef,	1,035.00
22 heifers over 2 years,	660.00
14 heifers, 18 mos. to 2 years,	350.00
3,195 poultry,	1,917.00
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	\$15,957.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 4,501.00	
15 gasoline tanks and pumps,	1,175.00	
95 radios,	950.00	
Lumber,	10,860.00	
Other property,	500.00	
1 portable mill,	500.00	
Logs,	495.00	
	<hr/>	\$18,981.00

ABATEMENTS

Melvin M. Cook, paid elsewhere,	\$ 3.00	
Edward Crawford, in service,	3.00	
Dennis Sanborn, under 21,	3.00	
Deering Lumber Co., error,	12.16	
Delmont Hawkes, over acreage,	134.62	
Stewart Gunter, over taxed,	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$179.78

UNPAID TAXES**Resident**

Gardner Black,	\$35.52
A. H. Burnell,	16.00
John Crawford Jr.,	8.96
Albert Driscoll,	54.40
Ralph Driscoll,	4.16
Arthur Dyer,	74.88
Everett Emerson,	24.64
Percy Estes,	3.00
Donald Estes,	3.00
Clarence Harmon,	3.52
Sam Hill,	3.00
W. H. Lewry,	3.00
Ellsworth Moore,	9.92
Joe Morton,	7.80
Huis, Alice Murch,	73.60

Huis, Horace Richardson,	.64
Warren Thurston,	9.72
Charles Yates,	45.88

NON-RESIDENT

Herbert Brown,	80.00
Lewis Brown,	8.96
John Fullerton,	10.24
Veta Gerba,	1.60
Mrs. Frederick Gardiner,	19.20
Ben Hardy,	6.40
Katherine Martin,	9.60
Huis, Deering P. Merrill,	3.84
Huis, Morton Rome,	6.40
Charles Sanborn,	.64
Roy Shaw,	.96

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town of Baldwin, February 10, 1947

ASSETS

	Feb. 4, 1946	Feb. 10, 1947
Cash,	\$3,070.83	\$4,395.49
Taxes,	372.06	573.40
Accounts receivable,	208.00	218.00
Total assets,	<u>\$3,650.89</u>	<u>\$5,186.89</u>

LIABILITIES

Notes payable:		
F. A. Licke, at 4%,	\$1,000.00	\$9,000.00
Surplus,	2,650.89	
Net town debt,		3,813.11
Total liabilities,	<u>\$3,650.89</u>	<u>\$5,186.89</u>

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$1,400.00
Lindon E. Christie, supt. of schools,	\$182.20
Walter T. Pulsifer, supt. of schools,	223.30
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	90.00
Olive Burnell, election clerk,	15.00
Frank Hodgdon, election clerk,	15.00
Roscoe C. Spencer, moderator,	8.00
C. E. Somers, auto excise collector,	48.00
R. C. Spencer, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	300.00
Norman Berry, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
Roland E. Warren, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
Charles E. Somers, health officer,	25.00
Roland E. Warren, health officer,	25.00
Beatrice Babb, school committee,	21.60
Kenneth Boothby, school committee,	21.60
Arlene Black, school committee,	21.60
J. Howard Cartret, constable and mile- age,	20.75
Charles E. Somers, collector,	120.00
Charles E. Somers, treasurer,	120.00
J. Howard Cartret, truant officer,	18.00
	<hr/> \$1,455.05
Overdraft, February 10, 1946,	\$55.05
Amt. Internal Revenue paid on all road labor,	\$349.00

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$583.50
Frank York, labor,	206.02
Roger Riley, labor,	37.04

Everett Davis, labor,	15.96	
Norman McKenney, labor,	6.00	
Norman Murch, labor,	16.80	
Henry Crawford, labor,	16.80	
Walter Murch, labor,	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$888.12

WASHOUT, EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$192.00	
Frank York, labor,	70.60	
Albion Douglas, labor,	12.00	
Norman Murch, labor,	28.80	
Henry Crawford, labor,	15.50	
Walter Murch, labor,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$348.90
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		\$1,237.02

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Leonard Locke, commissioner,	\$149.65
A. B. Locke, truck,	60.99
Arthur Rowe Jr., labor,	30.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	114.77
Edward MacNeill, labor,	84.26
Nelson Estes, labor,	20.62
Everett Davis, labor,	41.06
Everett Davis, truck,	51.91
J. M. Moore, labor,	4.65
Walter Warren, labor,	3.99
Dana Jacobs, labor,	5.32
Lyndon Ward, labor,	36.63
Donald Flint, self and tractor,	7.66
H. F. Sanborn, self and tractor,	6.12
Henery Crawford, labor,	17.25
Wood's Garage, repairs,	1.14
Gordon Millekin, tractor,	9.52

Lewis Lumber Co., plank,	64.34	
Harry Ward, gravel,	.90	
Harry Ward, truck,	50.82	
New England Culvert Co., culvert,	120.76	
Knights & Roberts, gravel,	3.70	
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		\$886.06

WASHOUT, WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Leonard Locke, commissioner,	\$ 65.68	
A. B. Locke, truck,	4.33	
Arthur Rowe Jr., labor,	54.61	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	56.01	
Clarence Kaye, truck and driver,	170.83	
Edward MacNeil, labor,	54.61	
Asbry Bowie, labor,	10.50	
Harland Bliss, truck,	6.92	
Everett Davis, labor,	14.80	
Everett Davis, truck,	20.76	
Henry Crawford, labor,	15.60	
L. Cotton & Son, supplies,	7.80	
Harry Ward, gravel,	4.05	
Knights & Roberts, gravel,	13.10	
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		\$499.60
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		\$1,385.66

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$266.48
Everett Davis, truck,	296.69
Frank York, labor,	5.65
Edward Crawford, labor,	14.97
Raymond Thomas, labor,	6.98
Percy Robbins, labor,	7.66
Guy Jones, labor,	4.00
Henry Crawford, labor,	84.64
Norman McKenney, labor,	1.33
Fred Robbins, labor,	5.32

W. H. Cram, labor,	40.50
Norman Murch, labor,	123.90
Richard Rounds, labor,	50.03
John Crawford Jr., labor,	21.38
Will Wentworth, labor,	3.66
Norman Murch, gravel,	1.50
Prentiss Wentworth, labor,	1.20
John Wentworth, labor,	20.92
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	7.98
Frank York, gravel,	2.30
David Harmon, team,	5.16
W. H. Cram, team,	27.19
J. H. Murch, team,	10.32
M. P. Fitch, dynamite,	7.75
Everett Davis, plank,	7.80
Harland Howard, labor,	5.32
Eugene Thorne, labor,	18.00
Wendell Wiggin, team,	6.21
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	3.00
	<hr/> \$1,154.54

WASHOUT, NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$38.00
Everett Davis, truck,	34.61
John Crawford Jr., labor,	6.00
David Harmon, labor,	1.50
Norman Murch, labor,	26.55
Henry Crawford, labor,	27.05
Frank York, gravel,	2.70
Eugene Thorne, labor,	1.88
	<hr/> \$138.29
	<hr/> \$1,196.13
East Baldwin roads,	\$1,237.02
West Baldwin roads,	1,385.66
North Baldwin roads,	1,196.13
	<hr/> \$3,818.81

Appropriated by town,	\$3,000.00	
Rec'd from town of Cornish for cul-		
vert,	54.98	
	<hr/>	3,054.98

Overdraft, February 10, 1947,	\$763.83
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STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Everett Davis, sub-foreman and	
labor,	\$115.23
Everett Davis, truck,	198.70
Edward Crawford, labor,	34.80
Guy Wentworth, foreman,	133.60
Henry Crawford, labor,	35.50
Herman Stacey, sub-foreman,	127.10
George Day, labor,	30.75
Clarence Stetson, labor,	94.85
Ernest Durgin, labor,	83.50
Ralph Douglass, labor,	49.60
Ellsworth Libby, labor,	76.95
Charles West, truck driver,	50.90
Woodrow Hartford, truck driver,	84.25
Aubrey Edgecomb, truck driver,	65.98
Coleman Berry, truck driver,	93.48
Roland Blake, truck driver,	88.24
Herman Stacey, labor,	10.50
Walter Murch, truck driver,	15.00
Linwood Keene, bull dozer operator,	148.75
Earl Keene, shovel operator,	160.20
Earl Keene, shovel, bull dozer,	
grader,	2,010.50
Clifford Eliot, grader operator,	39.55
Earle Keene, trucks,	940.02
Howard Cartret, truck,	42.30
Arthur Keene, truck driver,	16.13
Robert Bean, truck driver,	7.50
Donald Chadbourne, earth borrow,	113.15
Donald Chadbourne, land damage,	25.00

Harry Ward, gravel,	543.45	
The Strout Co., cement,	3.60	
Fitch Lumber Co., lumber,	11.60	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	34.80	
	<hr/>	\$5,485.48
State and town joint fund,		\$5,100.31
Federal tax shown elsewhere.		<hr/>
Overdrawn, Feb. 10, 1947,		\$385.17
State acct. overdrawn,		\$540.27

UNIMPROVED ROAD MAINTENANCE

Leonard Locke, foreman,	\$ 97.78	
Everett Davis, labor,	17.15	
Arthur Rowe Jr., labor,	70.60	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	50.60	
Edward Crawford, labor,	18.00	
Howard Cartret, truck,	204.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	176.00	
Joseph Stokes,	60.75	
Charles Harrington, labor,	36.00	
Henry Crawford, labor,	56.60	
Clarence Crawford, labor,	26.20	
Norman Murch, labor,	55.50	
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	23.95	
Frank York, labor,	18.00	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	35.25	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	6.00	
Donald Chadbourne, gravel,	21.20	
	<hr/>	\$973.58
Money received from State,		\$977.93
Federal tax shown elsewhere.		
Money available from State on account,		\$524.38

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE AND RECONSTRUCTION

Leonard Locke, commissioner,	\$ 179.54
A. B. Locke, truck,	211.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	149.96

Edward MacNeil, labor,	160.69	
W. S. Hoyt, gravel,	3.60	
Dana Jacobs, labor,	21.97	
Herman Hartford, gravel,	4.50	
Nelson Estes, labor,	40.11	
Leonard Locke, express and supplies,	2.62	
Leonard Locke,	3.00	
Wood's Garage, grader repairs,	9.50	
Kopper's Co., tar,	72.60	
New England Culvert,	84.76	
Lester Burnell, gas, repairs, etc.,	9.35	
Leonard Locke, commissioner,	226.19	
A. B. Locke, truck,	108.84	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	176.79	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	166.34	
Dana Jacobs, labor,	49.36	
Everett Davis, truck,	34.91	
Everett Davis, labor,	18.64	
Lyndon Ward, labor,	75.10	
Arthur Rowe Jr., labor,	52.20	
Knights & Roberts, gravel,	2.00	
Koppers Co., tar,	37.95	
Harry Ward, truck,	106.38	
Paid State,	1,022.92	
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		\$3,030.82
Appropriated by town,	\$ 702.00	
Appropriated for tar,	500.00	
Received from State,	1,850.00	
Rental of tar mixer,	2.00	
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		\$3,054.00
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Balance, Feb. 10, 1947,		\$23.18
Reconstruction fund held by State,		\$414.53

TOWN BUSHES

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$33.41
Everett Davis, truck,	10.05
Norman Murch, labor,	73.94

Jesse Decker, labor,	32.91	
W. H. Cram, labor,	4.98	
Henry Crawford, labor,	68.42	
Frank York, labor,	9.74	
Leonard Locke, commissioner,	71.24	
Lyndon Ward, labor,	30.86	
Harry Ward, truck,	42.26	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	60.33	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	57.11	
Alfred Jewell, tractor,	7.91	
Arthur Rowe Jr., labor,	31.27	
Arthur Rowe Jr., car,	18.00	
	<hr/>	\$552.43
Appropriated by town,		300.00
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Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947,		\$252.43

BUSHES, IMPROVED ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$17.52	
Everett Davis, truck,	3.46	
Norman Murch, labor,	15.96	
Jesse Decker, labor,	15.96	
W. H. Cram, labor,	10.64	
M. P. Fitch, scythes, etc.,	10.65	
Leonard Locke, commissioner,	26.18	
Lyndon Ward, labor,	22.34	
Harry Ward, truck,	33.74	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	22.34	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	20.62	
A. B. Locke, labor,	5.99	
A. B. Locke, truck,	7.79	
Clayton Locke, labor,	5.99	
Myron Locke, labor,	5.99	
	<hr/>	\$225.17
Balance from 1946,		\$1,015.36
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Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1947,		\$790.19

POOR RELIEF

Lois Bliss, acct. board of N. Riley,	\$416.00
Spraker's Gen. Store, acct G. Thompson,	500.62
Clarence Kaye, acct. 2 cds. wood O. F. Guptill,	32.00
J. L. Check, acct. milk, M. Judkins,	77.86
Stanley Bros., acct. ambulance, G. Thompson,	10.00
Arthur Rowe Sr., acct. board of Z. Rowe,	630.00
Maine Gen. Hospital, acct. G. Thompson,	132.00
L. H. Chute, acct. supplies, M. Judkins,	152.91
Dr. Donald G. Perry, acct. G. Thompson,	12.00
George Sanborn Store, acct. supplies C. Harmon,	43.26
Maud Locke, acct. supplies H. Walker,	24.19
P. C. Marston, M. D., acct. N. Riley,	10.00
Robert Guptill, acct. wood O. F. Guptill,	52.00
Rodney Warren, acct. labor M. Judkin's wood,	10.00
Stanley Bros., ambulance for veteran,	10.00

 \$2,112.84

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Received from town of Hiram,	24.19
Received from Zilpha Rowe,	360.00
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	\$1,884.19

 Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947, \$228.65
STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$504.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co., for lights,	\$504.00

PATROL MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by town,	\$1,300.00
Town's requisition, 1945,	\$ 190.00
Town's requisition, 1946,	1,301.20
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	\$1,491.20

 Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947, \$191.20

SNOW REMOVAL
(Including Sanding, Plowing and Snow Fence,
Tractor House)

John Crawford Jr., sanding,	\$ 9.97
Clarence Crawford, sanding,	58.78
Everett Davis, paid for chains,	25.97
Guy Ridlon, plowing,	54.00
Ralph Crawford, sanding,	117.41
Wood's Garage, tractor repairs,	17.71
Southworth Machine Co., tractor supplies,	251.88
Norman Murch, sanding,	74.30
Chase Parker, sanding,	28.40
J. H. Murch, truck,	6.99
Howard Cartret, truck, sanding,	146.00
Rodney Warren, sanding,	5.32
Philip Coolbroth, sanding,	5.32
George Sanborn, commissioner, sanding,	26.64
George Sanborn, truck, sanding,	31.82
Joseph Stokes, sanding,	151.56
Edward MacNeill, sanding,	132.39
David Libby, plowing,	47.40
Leon Ayer, sand,	3.50
Walter Poor, sand,	2.50
Knights & Roberts, sand,	3.00
George Sanborn, supplies,	4.74
Raymond Wood, gas,	5.15
Herman Hartford,	1.35
F. G. Congdon, express,	1.01
Ernest Warren, sanding,	2.66
Glendon Buzzell, sanding,	2.66
Percy Robbins, sanding,	8.31
W. H. Cram, sanding,	17.61
Edward Crawford, sanding,	132.32
H. H. Fitch, sanding,	1.20
Eben Harmon, sanding,	7.11
R. C. Spencer, acct. snow removal,	25.00
J. H. Crawford, labor,	10.64
Jewett & Gunter, gas,	7.14

Leonard Locke, tractor supplies,	13.12
Leonard Locke, commissioner, snow removal,	137.73
Albert Locke, truck,	36.57
Raymond Thombs, labor,	68.66
Wood's Garage, tractor repairs,	402.56
Murray Milliken, blades for plow,	19.40
John Kelley, truck plowing,	109.20
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	288.35
Warren's Express, express,	2.33
Central Maine Power Co., plowshed lights,	12.00
Collector of Internal Revenue,	32.50
Richard Rounds, labor,	3.33
H. F. Patridge, gas,	41.56
Northeastern Petroleum Co., grease and supplies,	231.18
Western Maine Lumber Co., lumber,	4.24
Hannah Verrill, oil and paint,	4.00
Sidney Welch, lumber,	7.62
Burgess Fobes Co., paint,	41.22
R. B. Chase, repairing and painting,	89.72
Files & O'Keefe Co., tractor blades,	119.63
Carroll Chase, repairs tractor house,	4.00
Town of Baldwin, excise tax on truck,	43.86
Leonard Locke, truck sanding,	148.45
Arthur Rowe Jr., sanding,	32.26
Henry Crawford, sanding,	59.35
Leon Ayer, gravel,	8.70
L. Cotton & Son, tools,	3.80
Walter Murch, gas and oil for truck,	43.85
Alfred Crawford, labor,	25.88
Century Insurance Co., liability ins. truck,	24.65
Franklin Insurance Co., ins. on truck,	80.00
Albion Mason, snow removal,	32.00
Harland Bliss, plowing,	2.00
Howard Cartret, truck plowing,	1,191.27
Lester Burnell, gas, oil, etc.,	235.57
George Sanborn, tractor snow removal,	113.12

George Sanborn, supplies,	18.62
George Sanborn, truck, snow removal,	92.70
Alfred Jewell, tractor plowing and repairs,	211.80
Raymond Murch, tractor plowing and repairs,	134.00
J. Howard Cartret, hauling salt,	42.00
Harvey Bliss, tractor plowing, etc.,	230.70
Leonard Locke, tractor plowing, etc.,	301.82
Edward Ribas, tractor plowing,	12.00
Everett Davis, commissioner, sanding,	308.83
Everett Davis, truck,	224.36
Frank York, sanding,	138.82
Portland Rubber Co., supplies,	7.12
Carl Hawkins, sanding,	28.33
Howard Cartret, freight on sander,	10.60
David Harmon, labor,	6.00
Everett Davis, plowing, town truck,	9.50
Edward Crawford, plowing, town truck,	4.00
Henry Crawford, plowing, town truck,	3.00
Donald Chadbourne, labor,	1.13
M. P. Fitch, fuse,	.75

\$6,427.52

Appropriated by town,	\$1,800.00
Received from State,	1,479.20
Bal. on tractor house repairs,	200.00
W. H. Shurtleff, refund,	10.00
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	\$3,489.20

Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947, \$2,938.32

SNOW EQUIPMENT

Champion Motors Inc., Ford truck,	
Coleman Drive,	\$4,362.51
W. B. Richardson, plow,	1,200.00
Files & O'Keefe, 3 sanders,	556.00
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	\$6,118.51
Appropriated by town,	\$5,000.00

Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947, \$1,118.51

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

(Including Cemetery, Memorial Funds, etc.)

Chester V. Small, acct. payrolls, etc.,	\$ 13.68
Charles E. Somers, acct. tel., etc.,	3.14
R. C. Spencer, acct. car hire,	115.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. tel., postage and supplies,	145.00
New England Tel. Co., acct. Somers,	69.50
New England Tel. Co., acct. tel.,	6.40
J. C. Babb, acct. tel., postage, car hire,	15.00
W. R. McAdam, M. D., acct. Harvey Bliss, eye treatment,	5.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. postage, town reports,	4.00
Preston Sanborn, acct. refund 1945 tax,	14.68
George Graffam, acct. audit,	70.00
Chester V. Small, acct. town reports,	101.35
Chester V. Small, acct. ballots,	10.75
Marks Printing House, acct. supplies,	32.10
Century Liability Co., acct. treas. bond,	75.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. expense,	86.00
J. E. Riley, acct. workman's compensation,	170.43
H. F. Partridge, acct. fire,	1.33
Richard Rounds, acct. fire,	1.33
N. Shaw, acct. fire,	1.33
A. Mason, acct. fire,	1.33
Norman Murch, acct. fire,	1.33
J. C. Babb, acct. fires,	1.33
R. C. Spencer, acct. fires,	10.00
Everett Day, acct. fire,	2.50
Health & Welfare department,	75.00
Chutes Express, acct. express on supplies,	.57
F. G. Congdon, acct. express on supplies,	.65
Town of Cornish, acct. Haley fire,	15.00
Hutchins Bros., acct. tax bills,	10.60
R. C. Spencer, acct. roads, trips to Bridgton and Portland,	30.00
W. B. Andrews, acct. cemetery fund,	25.00

West Baldwin Grange, acct. hall rent,	50.00
Frank Piper, acct. tax liens,	25.47
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies, Somers,	12.25
Cumberland County Health Association, acct. dental clinic,	100.00
George S. Clapp, typewriter, collector and treasurer,	76.57
P. G. Marston, M. D., acct. Harvey Bliss, eye treatment,	15.50
S. G. Sawyer, M. D., acct. health officer service,	5.00
Chester V. Small, acct. check lists,	32.43
Town of Hiram, acct. of fires,	59.25
New Lincoln Hotel, acct. dinners, dental clinic,	10.00
George Warren, acct. car,	5.00
Roland Warren, acct. car hire and tel.,	55.00
Roland Warren, acct. trip to Portland,	10.00
Cumberland Co., acct. seals,	2.00
Raymond Murch, acct. fighting fire,	4.00
Town of Cornish, acct. Gunter fire,	37.00
Town of Cornish, acct. Jewell fire,	8.00
Williams-Goodwin Post,	35.00
Ida Ward, acct. election supplies,	4.83
Lyndon Ward, acct. labor, cemetery,	5.00
Charles Somers, acct. expenses,	100.00
Roland Warren, acct. care hire, etc.,	10.00
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	\$1,770.90
Appropriated by town,	\$1,400.00
Memorial Day fund,	35.00
Cemetery fund,	25.00
Certified Public Accountant,	70.00
Health work,	150.00
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	\$1,680.00
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Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947,	\$90.90

TREASURER'S REPORT

DEBITS

February 2, 1946

Balance on hand,	\$ 3,070.83
1944 taxes,	7.14
Fred A. Locke Est., temp. loans,	4,000.00
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Treasurer of State, State aid,	29.52
C. E. Somers, telephone,	12.00
Collector of taxes, 1946 excise,	923.93
L. E. Christie, supplies,	10.50
Collector of taxes, 1945 taxes,	137.20
Collector of taxes, 1945 taxes,	33.28
Kezar Falls National Bank, temp. loan,	4,000.00
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Zilpha J. Rowe, board allowance,	380.00
Treasurer of State, snow removal,	1,479.20
Town of Hiram, Walker family,	24.19
Treasurer of State, bank stock tax,	16.84
Tax collector, 1946 taxes,	39,285.18
Town of Porter, school books,	4.00
K. T. Boothby, sale of store,	35.00
George Brown, cement mixer,	2.00
Town of Cornish, culvert,	54.98
W. H. Shurtleff Co., refund,	10.00
Treasurer of State, 3rd class maintenance,	827.67
Treasurer of State, State aid,	3,501.31
Treasurer of State, school fund,	3,474.77
Treasurer of State, R. R. tel tax,	11.70
Treasurer of State, town road improvement,	977.93
H. T. Boothby, 1 cd. wood,	16.00

J. O. Sanborn, 2 cds, wood,	28.00
Collector of taxes, 1947 excise,	370.55
Treasurer of State, health and welfare,	125.00
Collector of taxes, 1945 taxes,	13.00
Collector of taxes, 1945 taxes,	7.28
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	\$70,869.00

CREDITS

Refund of checks,	\$ 20.00
Ellie K. Hawes, county tax,	1,108.45
Kezar Falls National Bank, notes,	8,000.00
Kezar Falls National Bank, interest,	90.00
Treasurer of State, state tax,	5,087.88
Stamps bought,	61.59
Warrants 1 to 119,	52,105.59
Cash on hand,	4,395.49
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	\$70,869.00

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. SOMERS, Treasurer.

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Ida F. Ward,	\$1,108.56
Louis Gray,	979.42
Gladys Cartret,	954.96
Christine Wormhood,	452.20
Nellie Black,	1,012.76
Dorothy Gain,	559.10
Collector of Internal Revenue,	432.80
Treasurer of State, pension,	162.00
Treasurer of State, T. R. F. Louise Gray,	54.00
Sebago, elementary tuition,	216.00
	<hr/> \$5,931.80

CONVEYANCE

John Sanborn,	\$ 248.00
Melvin Cook,	1,025.00
Louise Gray,	216.00
Edson Brown,	108.00
Elwood Harris,	120.00
Wilbur Black,	819.00
Arthur Richards,	95.00
Carroll Babb,	216.00
Treasurer of State, bus plates,	1.15
Century Liability Insurance Co., in- surance on school buses,	47.01
	<hr/> \$2,895.16

JANITORS AND CLEANING

W. B. Andrews,	\$390.00
Frank Wentworth,	380.00
Paul Murch,	35.00
Roberta Murch,	49.00

F. Wentworth, cleaning E. B. toilets,	5.00	
J. C. Babb, cleaning N. B. toilets,	2.50	
Catherine Welch, cleaning N. B. school house,	17.96	
Eva Hoyt, cleaning E. B. school house,	11.30	
Muriel Hoyt, cleaning E. B. school house,	11.30	
Floor-Shine Wax Co., supplies,	15.60	
Kathleen Haskell, cleaning W. B. school house,	12.63	
L. H. Chute, broom,	1.35	
R. C. Spencer, cleaning W. B. toilets,	10.00	
Norton Hardware, scrub brush,	1.05	
Arlene Haskell, cleaning W. B. school house,	12.63	
George Haskell, cleaning W. B. school house,	7.31	
Rodney Warren, moving E. B. school yard,	5.00	
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FUEL

W. B. Andrews, sawing 10 cds. slabs, 8 cds. wood,	\$ 36.00	
Preston Sanborn, 7 cds. wood,	77.00	
Roger Riley, hauling wwood E. B. and W. B.,	21.00	
Perley Thorne, 4 cds. wood,	64.00	
J. C. Babb, sawing 4 cds. wood,	10.00	
Robert Murch, putting in wood,	8.00	
Jewett & Gunter, oil at E. B.,	116.09	
Paul Murch,	5.00	
Guy Ridlon, sawing 2 cds. wood,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$341.09

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, COMMON SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$6,000.00	
Received from State,	3,062.77	
School fund,	100.00	
West Baldwin Grange, 2 cds. wood,	28.00	
Kenneth Boothby, 1 cd. wood,	16.00	
Balance from 1946,	647.21	
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Teachers' salaries,	\$5,931.80	
Fuel,	341.09	
Janitors and cleaning,	967.63	
Conveyance,	2,895.16	
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Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947,		\$281.70

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00	
Appropriated for school lights,	80.00	
Town of Porter, for books,	4.00	
State school fund,	12.00	
Received from Lindon Christie,	10.50	
Balance from 1946,	5.33	
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EXPENDITURES

Central Maine Power Co., lights,	\$52.50
Chester Small, supplies,	7.03
Scott Foresman & Co.,	73.66
The MacMillan Co.,	7.90
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	51.13
Chas. E. Merrill,	4.95
Ginn & Co.,	84.86
American Book Co.,	7.80

J. L. Hammett Co.,	21.21
Gledhill Bros. Inc.,	14.29
Houghton Mifflin Co.,	3.53
Maine Public Health,	.65
C. B. Dolge Co.,	9.82
Beckley-Cardy Co.,	25.19
Loring, Short and Harmon,	8.82
World Book Co.,	4.95
Allyn & Bacon,	4.15
C. C. Birchard Co.,	17.71
Walter Pulsifer,	13.28
Rand McNally & Co.,	15.57
Webster Publishing Co.,	3.43
American Education Press,	12.19
C. H. Robinson,	5.11
Norton Hardware Co.,	1.05
State of Maine Treasurer, supplies,	4.00
Floor-Shine Wax Co.,	43.12
L. H. Chute, broom,	1.49
Lindon E. Christie, postage and tel.,	8.02
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	\$507.41
Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1947,	<hr/>
	\$4.42

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Received from State,	400.00
Balance from 1946,	990.19
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	\$2,890.19

EXPENDITURES

Westbrook, tuition,	\$ 66.66
Sebago, tuition,	1,500.00
Standish, tuition,	100.00
Fryeburg Academy, tuition,	1,107.50
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	\$2,774.16

Balance on hand, Feb. 10. 1947,	<hr/>
	\$116.03

SCHOOL REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00
Kenneth Boothby, sale of store,	35.00
Balance from 1946,	191.32
	<hr/> \$4,226.32

EXPENDITURES

W. B. Andrews, labor on furnace,	\$ 22.00
L. H. Chute, supplies,	32.18
Prentiss Wentworth, labor on screens, N. B.,	- 8.00
J. E. Riley, insurance,	364.50
Burgess Fobes Co.,	72.00
F. G. Congdon, transp., paint,	.91
Strout Co., balance due,	1.97
C. W. Chase, labor, material, paint- ing,	118.25
R. B. Chase, labor, painting,	98.00
C. L. Guptill, labor at E. B.,	15.00
Elmer E. Black, labor and supplies, W. B.,	42.06
George Sanborn, coat hangers,	1.00
L. C. Andrew, material,	31.96
The Strout Co., pulp plaster,	.20
Daniel Bourgors, labor and supplies, E. B.,	135.63
Linwood Hoyt, painting inside E. B.,	8.08
E. W. Wentworth, labor at E. B.,	3.00
Cressey & Allen, tuning 2 pianos,	10.00
Arlene Black, hooks, bolts, etc.,	2.85
Norton Hardware, supplies,	6.48
J. L. Hammett, lining for heater and freight,	14.87
C. L. Hawkins, labor and material, N. B.,	3.28

A. F. Kiborn, repairs lights, N. B.,	1.25	
James F. Howe, heating and plumbing, E. B. and W. B.,	2,897.00	
Hale & Howe, insulating E. B. and W. B.,	390.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,280.47
Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1947,		<hr/> \$54.15

DRAINING SCHOOL YARD

RESOURCES

Unexpended balance,	\$500.00
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EXPENDITURES

Leonard Locke, labor,	\$ 4.25	
Ward's Garage, gravel,	27.90	
Earle L. Keene, gravel, truck, shovel, etc.,	156.90	
	<hr/>	\$189.05
Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1947,		<hr/> \$310.95

MUSIC IN SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00	
Balance from 1946,	30.24	
	<hr/>	\$430.24

EXPENDITURES

Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$423.00	
Hall & McCreary Co., books,	3.43	
	<hr/>	\$426.43
Balance on hand,		<hr/> \$3.81

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of Baldwin:

I hereby submit for your consideration my annual report as Superintendent of your schools.

Three schools are again in operation with five teachers employed. Mrs. Nellie Black was transferred from North Baldwin to the primary grades at East Baldwin. Mrs. Black was replaced by Miss Dorothy Gain of East Baldwin.

The savings in fuel by using oil burning equipment and insulation are reflected in the drop in the fuel cost.

The following improvements are recommended for your consideration and are included in the repair section of the requested budget:

Convert the present privy sections of the East and West schools into supply rooms and book closets.

Paint one room at each of the East and West schools.

Install double bracket shades in the primary room at East school.

Spray paint the basements at East and West schools.

Enclose the water pump and tanks in wire enclosure at the East and West schools.

Install fire extinguishers in all schools.

Enclose the school grounds at North with link wire fence.

Paint the exterior of North school.

Install telephones at the East and West schools.

The dental clinic was held again at West Baldwin through the cooperation of the Cumberland County Public Health Association and the public spirited citizens who furnished the transportation.

Dental service worth \$525.00 was received for the \$125.00 raised.

The crowded conditions at the West Baldwin school could be relieved if the parents of the children at East and West Baldwin would consent to the classes with the largest enrollment being grouped at the West Baldwin school and the classes with the smaller enrollments being grouped at the East Baldwin school. This arrangement would make it possible to group the grades so that the sub-primary and grade one could be assigned to one teacher, grades two and three to another, grades 4, 5, and 6 to another teacher, and grades 7 and 8 to another. This would require no additions to the present buildings and teaching staff.

The number of children being transported has increased so that 45 are being conveyed on the Wilbur Black route and 38 on the Melvin Cook route. Though beach wagons are being used, this requires that the driver return to the school and discharge his load more often than if a bus were used. It is believed that that time saved by reducing the number of calls at the school while calling for the children would make it possible to reduce the time spent in conveying so that the children could start later in the morning and return earlier in the afternoon.

A successful school lunch program is being operated at the East Baldwin school by the Mattocks (East Baldwin) Parent Teacher Association. The meal being served is an "A" type with milk. The balanced meal served is resulting in better school work and better health.

In closing, I want to thank all those whose cooperation has contributed to the success of our schools.

The increased cost of teaching, supplies and the repairs needed is responsible for the increases in the budget requested for the following year:

Elementary schools,	\$10,000.00
Books and supplies,	650.00
Lights,	70.00
Music,	535.00
Secondary school tuition,	4,000.00
Repairs,	2,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER T. PULSIFER,

Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

School	Sub. Prim.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total	Teacher
West Baldwin Primary,	14	6	7	8						32	Louise Gray
West Baldwin Grammar,					7	6	5	6	11	35	Ida Ward
East Baldwin Primary,	8	10	5	3	2					28	Nellie Black
East Baldwin Grammar,						5	2	5	4	16	Gladys Cartret
North Baldwin,	5	2	2	1	1	4	1	1	1	18	Dorothy Gain
											Flora Carpenter
											Music,

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Elementary Schools

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 647.21	
Amount raised by town,	6,000.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	3,062.77	
Amount received from Ministerial school fund,	100.00	
Amount received from grange for wood,	28.00	
Amount received from Kenneth Boothby for wood,	16.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,853.98
Overdraft to balance,		281.70
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		\$10,135.68

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Teachers,	\$5,715.80	
Fuel,	341.09	
Jánitor and cleaning,	967.63	
Conveyance,	2,895.16	
Elementary tuition,	216.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,135.68

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 5.33	
Amount raised by town,	400.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	12.00	
Amount received from town of Porter,	4.00	
Amount received from Lindon Christie,	10.50	
Lights and water,	80.00	
	<hr/>	\$511.83

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Books and supplies,	\$454.91	
For lights,	52.50	
	<hr/>	\$507.41
Amount unexpended this year,		4.42
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		\$511.83

MUSIC

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 30.24	
Amount raised by town,	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$430.24

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Flora Carpenter, teacher,	\$423.00	
For supplies,	3.43	
	<hr/>	\$426.43
Amount unexpended this year,		3.81
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		\$430.24

REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 191.32	
Amount raised by town,	4,000.00	
Amount received from Kenneth Boothby (sale of stove),	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,226.32
Overdraft to balance,		54.15
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		\$4,280.47

EXPENDITURES

Paid,	\$4,280.47
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HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 990.19	
Amount raised by town,	1,500.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,890.19

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

H. W. Hastings, treasurer, Frye- burg Academy,	\$1,107.50	
Town of Sebago,	1,500.00	
Town of Standish,	100.00	
Town of Westbrook,	66.66	
	<hr/>	\$2,774.16
Amount unexpended this year,	116.03	
	<hr/>	\$2,890.19

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

I hereby certify that all money shown to have been received and disbursed is fully accounted for. In my opinion this report states the true financial condition of the Town of Baldwin, at February 10, 1947, and the correct result of administering its financial affairs.

GEORGE M. GRAFFAM,

Certified Public Accountant.

By: L. Everett Outhouse,
Portland, Maine.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

FISCAL YEAR 1946 - 1947

Vital statistics:

Number of births recorded,	11
Number of marriages recorded,	12
Number of deaths recorded,	8

Dog tax account:

Collected and paid to State,	\$107.20
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Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE, 1946

Since 1920, the Division of Public Health Nursing has been an activity of the State Bureau of Health. In 1920 one nurse covered the entire state; today a complete staff includes 42 nurses and 6 supervisors working in the six districts into which the state is divided. District I is composed of York and Cumberland Counties plus five towns in Oxford with an estimated population of 260,577.

There are five public health nurses and one supervisor carrying on a general nursing program under the medical direction of the District Health Officer. The nursing time allocated to a specific town depends upon the appropriation and the community's needs.

The present concept of public health nursing as carried on in Baldwin, rather than restricting the nurse's activities to care of the sick in their homes, stresses prevention of disease and promotion of health by helping the community to analyze health problems of individuals and families.

Under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association, four Child Health Conferences were held during the summer for children under six years. Forty-three children were examined by a physician and of these not already immunized, the majority received immunizations against diphtheria, smallpox and whooping cough. As the death rate from these three diseases is highest in the pre-school child, continued emphasis must be placed on early immunization.

The first activity in the fall was the testing by the public health nurse of all children who presented symptoms of eye difficulty. The alert observation of the teachers is responsible for discovering most of these defects as they are the ones who see the children daily.

In October, 88 children had hearing tests with the audiometer. Several children were found to have definite loss of hearing.

The public health nurse has followed up in the homes, health problems found at Child Health Conference or at school, to help the family find the resource best suited to fit its need.

In addition she visits expectant mothers and mothers of new infants, to assist them in establishing good daily routine for the baby; she visits homes where there is or has been tuberculosis, in order to help the families acquire adequate medical care; she visits homes where there is acute communicable disease to assist in the patient's recovery without complications and to prevent its spread by proper isolation; she visits children with a crippling condition to make available to the family the special services provided for these children.

Plans for the coming year include an immunization clinic to offer immunization against smallpox and diphtheria to anyone not protected, more frequent Child Health Conferences, so that medical supervision is available to all pre-school children, and a program of health examinations of all school children.

To extend the service of the Public Health Nurse so that she may be able to spend her time giving direct professional service to the family, a Health Council, composed of representatives of various groups should be formed. It is the aim of the Council to assist in interpreting the health program to the community in order to have it adequately supported and used to help in maintaining a high standard of service and to assist in developing a cooperative program.

ELEANORE M. IRISH,

Public Health Nurse,
Division of Public Health Nursing,
State Bureau of Health.

January 6, 1947.

Mr. Clarence Q. Brown



Annual Report

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For the Fiscal Year ending

FEBRUARY 10, 1948

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FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10

1948

NOTICE

This report is submitted subject to an audit by a qualified public accountant, in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 216, Public Laws of Maine, 1937.

Chester V. Small, Printing, Cornish, Maine

TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD ✓
Mrs. Bunnell

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

R. C. SPENCER

C. E. WOOD ✓

Geo. Stevens ✓ NORMAN BERRY ✓ *Lincoln Bryant*
Frederic Wentworth

Superintending School Committee

KENNETH BOOTHBY

DOROTHY SMITH ✓

Lillian Wood ✓ ARLENE BLACK ✓

Superintendent of Schools

WALTER PULSIFER ✓

Treasurer

CHARLES E. SOMERS

Collector

Harry Ward HARRY E. SANBORN ✓ *J. D. Sanborn*

Road Commissioners

J. HOWARD CARTRET ✓

LEONARD LOCKE ✓

Bob Gifford EVERETT DAVIS ✓ *Meek Moore*
Raymond Jones

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET ✓

Excise Tax Collector

HARRY E. SANBORN ✓

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 1st day of March, 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at the said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, tax collector, and constable, town clerk, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee, and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school buildings.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for textbooks and supplies in schoolrooms.

Handwritten notes:
 259
 Council
 Council
 pending and
 report
 \$2,500.00
 \$600.00
 \$600.00

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for music in the schools. \$500

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition. \$400

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for lights in schoolrooms. \$100

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor. \$180

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges. \$300

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund. \$300

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads. \$500

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the patrol of State highway, "Pequawket Trail" and State aid roads. \$150

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944, as amended. \$798 1/2

Art. 16. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year. \$600 per day on duty

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

1800.00

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

4000.00

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to make any arrangements, and what, in regard to snow removal for the ensuing year.

In charge of snow removal.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, more or less, to be paid the Williams Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day Fund.

100.00

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

25.00

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504.00, more or less, for street lights for the ensuing year.

504.00

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a Certified Public Accountant to audit town records for the ensuing year.

70.00

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1948 taxes.

carried

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and the outstanding notes.

8000.00

Art. 26. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deed for such property. *Consent*

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize selectmen to, collect unpaid taxes due the town, these to be paid or taken from any form of wages paid by the town. *Consent*

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal, sanding machine, or plows, and to raise and appropriate money for the same. *Pass*

Art. 29. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding the purchase of fire-fighting equipment and raise and appropriate money for same. *To purchase fire fighting equipment from N. E. W. White 1927*

Art. 30. To see what action, if any, the town will take regarding raising and appropriating the sum of \$50.00, more or less, for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Chapter 5, Section 82, of the Revised Statutes. Article suggested by the State of Maine Publicity Bureau. *Pass*

Art. 31. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the eradication of White Pine blister, the same to be expended in accordance with the laws of Maine. \$200.00 recommended by Forest Commissioner. *Pass*

Art. 32. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin, said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health for local service. *Pass*

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to hold a dental clinic and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the Public Library at East Baldwin.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money necessary to take care of overdrafts.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to straighten that portion of Ward's Hill road leading by the George Sanborn homestead.

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be expended on the George DeRenne road at the foot of the hill.

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for flags and flagpoles for the schools of Baldwin.

Art. 40. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for payment of fire-fighting equipment voted bought at special town meeting.

Art. 41. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay for hose bought during the fire emergency.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to organize a volunteer fire department.

Left to select men

\$125.00

*Carroll
\$130.00*

\$200.00

*Passed
over*

*Passed
over*

\$500.00

*Passed
over*

\$700.00

*Passed
over*

Yes

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to make Pigeon Brook schoolhouse suitable for town office and safe for records. *8300⁰⁰ correct*

Art. 44. To see what action the town will take on report and recommendation of the Building Committee appointed at the last special town meeting. *each donated a not con*

Art. 45. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate, or hire, to pay for action taken on Article 44. *no a*

Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to build an additional room on the East Baldwin schoolhouse, and raise and appropriate money for same. *no act*

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 10th day of February, 1948.

R. C. SPENCER,

C. E. WOOD,

NORMAN BERRY,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

Art 47 Voted to open

the Bunnell school

Art 48 Voted to raise \$1000 for repairs

on Bunnell school house

Art 49 Select men to meet at a stated place every two weeks

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1948

Recommended by School Committee

- Art. 4. Schools,
- Art. 5. Repairs,
- Art. 6. Textbooks and supplies,
- Art. 7. Music,
- Art. 8. Tuition,
- Art. 9. Lights,

Recommended by Selectmen

Art. 10. Poor relief,	1,800.00
Art. 11. Roads and bridges,	3,000.00
Art. 12. Miscellaneous,	1,500.00
Art. 13. Bushes on town roads,	500.00
Art. 14. Patrol,	1,500.00
Art. 17. Officers' compensation,	1,400.00
Art. 18. Snow removal,	4,000.00
Art. 20. Memorial Day,	35.00
Art. 21. Cemetery fund,	25.00
Art. 22. Street lights,	504.00
Art. 23. C. P. A.,	70.00
Art. 25. Interest,	300.00

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending February 10, 1948.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. SPENCER,

C. E. WOOD,

NORMAN BERRY,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1947 ASSESSMENT, VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1947

Real estate, non-resident,	\$433,687.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	25,019.00
Real estate, resident,	148,230.00
Personal estate, resident,	20,685.00
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Total valuation,	\$627,621.00
Appropriated by town, March, 1947,	\$35,398.00
State tax,	5,091.12
County tax,	1,179.36
Overlay,	1,009.76
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Property tax,	\$42,678.24
Poll tax,	543.00
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Committed to collector,	\$43,221.24
Supplementary tax, \$75.00.	
Polls taxed, 181.	
Polls not taxed, 34.	
Rate of taxation, \$.068.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

57 horses,	\$3,680.00
163 cows,	8,965.00
19 oxen, bulls and beef,	860.00
24 heifers over 2 years,	720.00
11 heifers, 18 mos. to 2 years,	275.00
2,057 poultry,	1,230.00
4 swine,	20.00
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	\$15,750.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 4,754.00	
14 gasoline pumps and tanks,	1,100.00	
100 radios,	1,000.00	
Lumber,	19,150.00	
Other property,	2,250.00	
2 portable mills,	800.00	
Logs,	900.00	
	<hr/>	\$29,954.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

68 swine,	\$ 720.00	
1,161 poultry,	697.00	
18,100 chickens 2 mos. and younger,	3,620.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,037.00

ABATEMENTS

Melvin Cook, Jr., paid elsewhere,	\$3.00	
Stewart Elwell, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
William Hall, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Sam Hill, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Arthur Parker, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Myron Leslie Sanborn, Jr., paid elsewhere,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$18.00

UNPAID TAXES**Resident**

Albert H. Burnell, real estate,	\$17.00
Gardner Black, real estate,	25.00
Albert Driscoll, real estate,	57.80
Ralph Driscoll, real estate,	4.42
Harry Dyer, real estate,	6.80
Arthur Dyer, real estate,	66.30
Everett Emerson, real estate,	26.18
Albert Gould, real estate,	35.70

Clarence Harmon, real estate,	17.00
Sam Hill, real estate,	2.38
Carroll Libby, real estate,	37.40
Ellsworth Moore, real estate,	2.38
J. M. Moore and Sophronia Spencer, real estate,	10.20
Raymond Murch, real estate,	17.00
Harry Dyer, poll,	3.00
Everett Emerson, poll,	3.00
Percy Estes, poll,	3.00
Donald Estes, poll,	3.00
Omer Heberts, poll,	3.00
Perley Howard, poll,	3.00
Ellsworth Moore, poll,	3.00
Joe Morton, poll,	3.00
Raymond Murch, poll,	3.00
Thomas Robbins, poll,	3.00
Myron L. Sanborn, poll,	3.00
Lester Snow, poll,	3.00
Eugene Sprigs, poll,	3.00
Kenneth Woodbury, poll,	3.00
Heirs of Horace Richardson, real estate,	.68
James R. Robbins, real estate,	6.80
Edwin Rounds, 2nd, real estate,	4.08
Leander C. Rounds, heirs of, real estate,	9.52
Myron Leslie Sanborn, real estate,	31.60
Heirs of Elizabeth Spencer, real estate,	13.60
Glenn Verrill, real estate,	39.10
Heirs of E. J. Woodsome, real estate,	19.72
Charles Yates, real estate,	34.04
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	\$504.08

Non-Resident

Ethel M. Brown, real estate,	\$ 37.40
Lewis Brown, real estate,	9.52
Deering Lumber Co., real estate,	12.92
Moses M. Frankel, real estate,	27.20

John Fullerton, real estate,	10.88
Veta Gerber, real estate,	1.70
John E. Gunter, real estate,	1,013.20
John E. Gunter, real estate,	208.08
Benjamin Hardy, real estate,	20.03
J. H. Hunt, real estate,	34.00
William Kenney, real estate,	6.80
Katherine Martin, real estate,	10.20
Deering P. Merrill, heirs, real estate,	4.08
Chas. W. Robinson, real estate,	4.08
Morton Rowe, heirs, real estate,	6.80
Chas. W. Sanborn, real estate,	.68
Almon D. Sawyer, heirs, real estate,	.68
Everett Emerson, personal,	7.48
Stewart Elwell, personal,	.68
Ellsworth Moore, personal,	8.16
Myron Leslie Sanborn, personal,	4.42
Eugene Sprigs, personal,	4.42
Glen Verrill, personal,	11.56
Stewart Gunter, personal,	163.20
Sebago Forestry Co., personal,	666.40
	<hr/> \$2,274.57

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town of Baldwin, February 10, 1948

ASSETS

Cash on hand,	\$5,071.31
Uncollected taxes, 1947,	2,819.27
	<hr/> \$7,890.58

LIABILITIES

Maud B. Locke, notes (plus interest),	\$9,000.00
Balance against town,	1,109.42
	<hr/> \$7,890.58

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$1,400.00
Walter T. Pulsifer, supt. of schools,	\$435.69
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	90.00
Olive Burnell, election clerk,	4.00
Frank Hodgdon, election clerk,	4.00
Roscoe C. Spencer, moderator,	10.00
Harry F. Sanborn, auto excise collector,	48.00
R. C. Spencer, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	300.00
Norman Berry, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
Clifton Wood, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	90.00
Kenneth Boothby, school committee,	21.60
Arlene Black, school committee,	21.60
Dorothy Smith, school committee,	21.60
J. Howard Cartret, constable and mile- age,	10.00
Harry F. Sanborn, collector,	120.00
Charles E. Somers, treasurer,	120.00
	<hr/> \$1,386.49
Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$13.51

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$588.40
Frank M. York, labor,	214.73
Norman Murch, labor,	65.13
Howard Cartret, paid repairs on road machine,	10.70
Everett Davis, labor,	6.00
Stewart Gunter, bridge plank,	21.80
	<hr/> \$906.76

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Wood's Garage, welding grader,	\$ 10.75
Leonard Locke, commissioner,	193.95
Leonard Locke, truck,	147.42
Arthur Rowe, Jr., labor,	8.63
Joseph Stokes, labor,	140.83
Edward MacNeill, labor,	162.78
Herman Hartford, gravel,	3.75
Walter Poor, gravel,	1.50
Everett Davis, labor,	27.63
Chris Anderson, labor,	4.50
New England Metal Culvert,	96.61
Everett Davis, truck,	5.53
Clarence Kaye, truck,	14.40
Albion Milliken, labor,	4.80
Fred Locke, labor,	3.38
Williams Brothers, repair road machine,	16.25
Collector of Internal Revenue,	5.50
	<hr/> \$848.21

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$257.90
Everett Davis, bridge plank,	3.60
Everett Davis, truck,	169.51
Wendell Wiggin, team,	4.83
Norman McKenney, team,	3.45
W. H. Cram, team and labor,	58.86
Norman Murch, labor,	73.70
Henry Crawford, labor,	3.00
Carl Hawkins, labor,	87.37
Percy Robbins, labor,	12.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	82.13
M. P. Fitch, shovels,	5.00
John H. Crawford, gravel,	.90
Everett Davis, paid repair road machine,	7.04
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	12.75
Prentist Wentworth, team,	18.09

W. A. Murch, gas,	14.94	
W. A. Murch, labor,	3.29	
Frank M. York, labor,	21.12	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	11.63	
Clifford Thorne, labor,	9.00	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	11.26	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	9.38	
Will Wentworth, labor,	8.25	
John Wentworth, labor,	8.25	
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	.70	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	19.88	
Clarence Crawford, labor,	3.38	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	83.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,004.21
East Baldwin roads,	\$ 906.76	
West Baldwin roads,	848.21	
North Baldwin roads,	1,004.21	
	<hr/>	\$2,759.18
Appropriated by town,		3,000.00
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Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,		\$240.82

TOWN BUSHES

Clarence Kaye, scythes, 1946,	\$ 7.80
Everett Davis, commissioner,	
North Baldwin bushes,	42.92
Everett Davis, truck, North Baldwin,	
bushes,	6.91
Alfred Crawford, labor, North Baldwin	
bushes,	3.00
Jesse Decker, labor, North Baldwin	
bushes,	54.38
Norman Murch, labor, North Baldwin	
bushes,	36.98
M. P. Fitch, scythes, etc.,	4.50
Carl Hawkins, labor, North Baldwin	
bushes,	12.38

W. H. Cram, labor, North Baldwin bushes,	14.30	
Leonard Locke, commissioner, bushes,	60.43	
Leonard Locke, truck, bushes,	32.01	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	49.88	
Edward MacNeill, labor,	53.98	
J. M. Moore, labor,	12.00	
Jesse Decker, labor,	66.00	
Norman Murch, labor,	62.60	
Everett Davis,	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$526.07
Appropriated by town,		500.00
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Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1948,		\$26.07

STATEMENT OF STATE AID ACCOUNT, 1947

Appropriated by town,		\$799.50
Apportioned by State,	\$1,599.00	
Transferred from State aid reconstruction,	414.53	
	<hr/>	\$2,013.03
Joint fund,		\$2,813.03
State rental shovel,		\$42.70
Expended by town, State aid No. 6,	\$2,033.43	
Expended by town, State aid No. 6,	781.52	
	<hr/>	\$2,814.95
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Cost of road,		\$2,857.65
Total State apportionment,	\$2,013.53	
Expended by State,	42.70	
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Available from State,		\$1,970.83
Town expenditure,	\$2,814.95	
Town appropriation,	799.50	
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Excess of town appropriation,		\$2,015.45

State share expenditure,	\$1,970.83
Town's share expenditure,	799.50
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Total charge to account,	\$2,770.33
Over expended,	\$44.62
Received from State,	\$1,970.83

BALDWIN TOWN ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND

Apportioned by State, 1947,	\$1,280.00
Balance, 1946,	524.38
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Total fund,	\$1,804.38
Cost of road,	\$1,987.35
Total expenditure,	\$1,987.35
Total State apportionment,	\$1,804.38
Town expenditure,	\$1,987.35
Disallowance, gravel,	257.70
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Net town expenditure,	\$1,729.65
Received from State,	\$1,729.65
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Unexpended balance, 1947,	\$74.73

PATROL MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Town's requisition,	1,416.40
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Balance to snow removal,	\$83.60

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$504.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co., for lights,	\$504.00

POOR RELIEF

S. G. Sawyer, M. D., acct. services, N. Riley,	\$ 45.50
Arthur Rowe, Sr., acct. board of Z. Rowe,	720.00
Hamilton Funeral Home, acct. ambulance, F. Guptill,	8.00

L. H. Chute, acct. supplies, M. Judkins,	134.07
L. H. Chute, acct. supplies, Chas. Ward,	91.43
L. H. Chute, acct. supplies, Clarence Foss,	20.00
Spraker's Gen. Store, acct. supplies, G. Thompson,	591.17
E. A. Center, acct. services, Erma Thombs,	4.00
E. A. Center, acct. services, G. Thompson,	30.00
E. A. Center, acct. services, Chas. Ward,	80.00
E. A. Center, acct. services, M. Judkins,	64.25
Lois Bliss, acct. board, supplies, N. Riley,	585.43
R. C. Spencer, acct. tramps, car-hire,	12.00
J. L. Chick, acct. milk, M. Judkins,	62.54
J. L. Chick, acct. milk, Chas. Ward,	52.80
R. J. Wood, acct. supplies, Clarence Foss,	4.99
Gladys Hogan, care, Gertrude Storer,	75.00
Daisy Whitten, acct. care of H. Moore,	40.00
H. F. Partridge, acct. supplies, Clarence Harmon,	34.61
Town of Brownfield, acct. Fred Harrington,	205.19
Phyllis Sanborn, acct. board, Cook children,	114.00
Clarence Kaye, acct. wood, F. Guptill,	32.00
Alvin A. Morrison, acct. Susan Walker,	3.00
Dr. A. DiBiasco, acct. Mrs. Ellsworth Moore,	40.00
P. C. Marston, M. D., acct. Russell Brackett,	47.00
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	\$3,158.94
Appropriated by town,	\$1,800.00
Received from Zilpha Rowe,	330.00
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	\$2,130.00
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Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$1,028.94

SNOW REMOVAL

(Including Sanding, Plowing and Snow Fence)

Williams Bros., repairs,	\$122.56
Warren's Express,	1.76
R. C. Spencer, snow removal,	25.00
Champion Motor Co., tires for truck,	150.00

Wendell Wiggin, labor,	6.00
Twitchell's Garage, repairs,	3.00
Howard Cartret, freight paid on blades,	16.60
Northeastern Petroleum Co., oil,	57.75
Frank York, gravel,	.90
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	6.13
Howard Cartret, hauling salt,	30.00
W. B. Richardson, welding plow,	7.00
Leonard Locke, paid for parts,	1.04
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	249.60
Southworth Machine Co., repairs,	193.90
Murray Machine Co., tractor shoes,	17.64
Herman Hartford, sand,	4.80
John Crawford, snow removal,	10.00
Clarence Kaye, wood,	16.50
W. H. Cram, labor,	32.80
David Harmon, labor,	1.12
Carl Hawkins, labor, sanding,	7.87
Jesse Decker, sanding,	4.88
Frank Wood, sand,	2.00
H. H. Fitch, sand,	6.00
Chase Parker, sand,	4.50
F. G. Congdon, express,	.65
Clarence Crawford, sanding,	.75
Henry Crawford, sanding,	9.76
Alfred Jewell, plowing and repairs,	51.00
David Libby, plowing and repairs,	41.60
D. B. Hardy, repairs,	10.81
Franklin Insurance Co.,	80.00
Etna Insurance Co., tractor house,	31.25
Am. Auto Insurance, tractor liability,	18.00
Century Indemnity, Ford truck,	31.95
Files & O'Keefe, blades,	70.43
Howard Cartret, truck sanding,	79.20
Everett Davis, East Baldwin sanding,	36.00
Frank York, labor,	200.73
Norman Murch, labor,	81.92

Raymond Thombs, labor,	31.78
Howard Cartret, plowing,	513.77
Alfred Crawford, labor,	30.83
M. P. Fitch, shovels,	6.75
Collector of Internal Revenue,	85.40
Everett Perkins, labor,	28.02
Norman McKenney, truck,	7.27
Leonard Locke, sanding, labor and truck,	355.11
Joseph Stokes, labor,	134.80
Edward MacNeill, labor,	130.67
Eben Harmon, labor,	3.75
Leonard Locke, plowing,	322.70
Adron Hester, plowing,	91.86
W. A. Murch, gas,	109.70
Everett Davis, trip to Portland,	4.50
Fred Locke, plowing,	39.00
Paul Estes, plowing, etc.,	36.75
Albion Mason, plowing,	154.00
Everett Davis, labor, truck, sanding, etc.,	385.39
Wood's Garage, repairs,	614.04
Everett Davis, paid for repairs,	18.15
Everett Davis, plowing,	203.35
Ralph Crawford, plowing,	225.70
Howard Cartret, plowing,	901.01
Central Maine Power Co.,	12.00
Harvey Bliss, plowing,	118.50
George Brown, labor,	3.00
George Stevens, plowing,	92.20
Murray Milliken, plowing, etc.,	5.00
L. R. Burnell, gas,	243.93
Edwin Crawford, labor,	42.01
H. F. Partridge, gas,	31.02
E. Corey & Co., shovels,	3.55
Bailey Auto Supply, supplies,	47.36
R. J. Wood, gas,	5.64
Percy Greenwood, plowing,	13.00
Municipal Steel, cutting edges,	78.48

Carl B. Ridlon, snow removal,	33.75
Portland Tractor Co., wing for plow,	225.00
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	\$7,112.14

Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00
Received from State,	1,390.00
Balance from State patrol,	83.60
Truck on State road,	44.40
Cohen Bros.,	6.10
W. W. Harmon, sale of oil,	30.00
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	\$5,555.00

Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$1,557.14
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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Resources

Appropriated by town,	\$170.00
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Expenditures

J. Everett Riley,	\$159.66
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Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$10.34
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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

(Including Cemetery, Memorial Funds, etc.)

Marks Printing House, acct. supplies,	\$ 28.15
R. C. Spencer, acct. postage on town reports,	5.00
W. B. Andrews, typing, car hire,	12.00
New England Tel. Co., acct. telephone,	14.21
New England Tel. Co., acct. Somers,	36.11
R. C. Spencer, acct. telephone, car hire, postage,	
etc.,	170.00
Chester V. Small, acct. town reports,	143.27
Chester V. Small, acct. selectmen's supplies,	16.75
Chester V. Small, acct. treasurer's supplies,	30.67
R. C. Spencer, supplies,	15.00
East Baldwin Library,	200.00
Mildred Sanborn, acct. of store,	35.00
Auto guide,	4.50

Century Insurance Co., acct. treasurer's bond,	75.00
M. G. Ridlon, M. D., acct. health call,	5.00
Edgar Corliss, acct. legal advice,	9.00
E. A. Center, M. D., acct. health work,	25.00
S. G. Sawyer, M. D., acct. health work,	5.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. postage, telephone, etc.,	100.00
Cumberland Health Assn., acct. seals,	2.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. expenses,	65.00
Williams-Goodwin Post, acct. memorial,	100.00
Ernest Warren, acct. fires,	1.50
Graffam Acct. Service, acct. audit,	70.00
Hutchins Brothers, acct. collector's supplies,	9.80
Frank Piper, acct. tax liens,	13.02
Town of Cornish, acct. May 21, brush fire,	33.00
Albert Locke, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
R. C. Spencer, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
Leonard Locke, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
Henry Black, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
Wilbur Black, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
Guy Ridlon, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
Gordon Milliken, acct. May 21, brush fire,	2.25
West Baldwin Grange, acct. hall rent,	50.00
Century Indemnity Co., acct. collector's bond,	50.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. paid for pumps,	208.73
Raymond Murch, acct. Dea. Road fire,	20.00
Edgar Gordon, acct. Dea. Road fire,	6.00
Chester Chase, acct. Dea. Road fire,	9.75
Joseph Stokes, acct. Dea. Road fire,	6.75
Edward MacNeill, acct. Dea. Road fire,	16.50
W. B. Andrews, acct. Dea. Road fire,	20.25
Leonard Locke, acct. Dea. Road fire,	45.00
Lyndon Ward, acct. Dea. Road fire,	9.75
Percy Burnell, acct. Dea. Road fire,	9.75
Frank Harding, acct. Dea. Road fire,	8.25
George Stevens, acct. Dea. Road fire,	12.00
Fred Locke, acct. Dea. Road fire,	52.50
Gordon Milliken, acct. Dea. Road fire,	15.00

Arthur Rowe, Jr., acct. Dea. Road fire,	9.00
Carroll Edwards, acct. Dea. Road fire,	6.00
Nelson Estes, acct. Dea. Road fire,	3.00
Chas. Harrington, acct. Dea. Road fire,	3.00
Wilbur Black, acct. Dea. Road fire,	3.00
R. C. Spencer, acct. Dea. Road fire,	18.00
Cumberland County Health Association, acct. dental clinic,	125.00
New Lincoln Hotel, acct. dinners, dinner clinic,	15.55
Ada McKenney, acct. insurance,	6.19
Fryeburg Academy, acct. tuition,	8.25
Harry F. Ward, acct. gas and oil, Hiram fire,	5.45
Lester R. Burnell, acct. gas and oil, Hiram fire,	24.29
Eastern Fire Equipment Co., acct. hose, acct. Hiram fire,	442.82
W. B. Andrews, acct. cemetery fund,	25.00
Maud Locke, acct. supplies,	8.25
Harry Ward, acct. car hire,	10.00
Leon N. Lamont, acct. gas, etc., Hiram fire,	4.73
Harry F. Sanborn, acct. postage,	15.00
Town of Hiram, May 16, brush fire,	15.13
R. C. Spencer, May 16, brush fire,	3.75
Wilbur Black, May 16, brush fire,	2.25

\$2,533.62

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Memorial Day fund,	100.00
Cemetery fund,	25.00
Certified Public Accountant,	70.00
Health work,	100.00
Dental clinic,	125.00
Public library,	200.00
Treasurer of State, Forestry,	34.94
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	\$2,154.94

Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1948, \$378.68

TREASURER'S REPORT

DEBITS

February 10, 1948

Balance on hand,	\$4,395.49
1946 taxes,	293.52
Collector of taxes, 1947 excise,	935.51
Zilpha J. Rowe, board allowance,	330.00
Cohen Bros., snow removal,	6.10
Kezar Falls National Bank, temp. loan,	5,000.00
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Treasurer of State, snow removal,	1,390.90
Tax liens, Leury,	50.96
Treasurer of State, Forestry,	34.94
Kezar Falls National Bank, temp. loan,	5,000.00
Treasurer of State, bank stock,	17.22
W. W. Harmon, snow removal,	30.00
Scott, Foresman & Co., refund,	2.89
Century Indemnity, refund on bond,	25.00
Treasurer of State, town road improvement,	1,729.65
Treasurer of U. S., interest on bond,	12.50
Treasurer of State, State school fund,	4,182.69
Treasurer of State, R. R. and Tel. tax,	2.00
Treasurer of State, State aid,	1,970.83
Treasurer of State, health and welfare,	125.00
Town of Hiram, sale of books,	21.60
Mr. Pulsifer, sale of stove,	20.00
Harry Ward, refund, on gravel,	109.51
Harry F. Sanborn, 1946 taxes,	29.04
Harry F. Sanborn, 1947 taxes,	704.80
Harry F. Sanborn, 1947 excise taxes,	128.67
Harry F. Sanborn, 1948 excise taxes,	759.09
	141.84
	39772.17
	\$72,221.92
Harry F. Sanborn, 1947 taxes,	

CREDITS

Treasurer, Cumberland County, county tax,	\$ 1,179.36
Kezar Falls National Bank, notes,	15,000.00
Kezar Falls National Bank, interest,	300.00
Treasurer of State, State tax,	5,091.12
Stamps bought,	36.00
Warrants, 1 to 112,	45,544.13
Cash on hand, to balance acct.,	5,071.31
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	\$72,221.92

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. SOMERS, Treasurer,

By Eva S. Spencer.

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Ida F. Ward,	\$1,358.33
Louise Gray,	1,242.10
Gladys Cartret,	1,296.73
Nellie Black,	1,224.73
Dorothy Hulit,	1,245.18
Muriel Hoyt,	7.51
Collector of Internal Revenue,	701.80
Treasurer of State, pension,	180.00
Treasurer of State, T. R. F., Louise Gray,	63.43
Treasurer of State, T. R. F.,	151.87
Associated Hospital Service, acct. D. Hulit,	7.70
Sebago, elementary tuition,	180.00
	————— \$7,659.38

CONVEYANCE

Melvin Cook,	\$1,355.00
Wilbur Black,	1,430.00
Arthur Richards,	180.00
Carroll Babb,	350.50
Ada McKenney,	380.00
Thelma Warren,	525.00
Treasurer of State, bus plates,	1.30
Century Indemnity Co., insurance on school buses,	94.14
	————— \$4,315.94

JANITOR AND CLEANING

W. B. Andrews, janitor,	\$410.00
Frank Wentworth, janitor,	410.00
Roberta Murch, janitor,	84.00
Roberta Murch, cleaning windows N. B.,	2.00
Boston Janitors' Supply Co.,	54.09

J. L. Hammett Co.,	51.68
L. H. Chute,	2.97
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	40.56
Raymond Murch, cleaning W. B.,	49.70
Genevieve Murch, cleaning W. B.,	16.50
Maudella Locke, cleaning W. B.,	2.50
Adron Hester, cleaning W. B.,	4.00
Clifford Burnell, cleaning E. B.,	19.00
Me. Hardware & Plumbing Supply Co.,	1.40
Raymond Murch, cleaning E. B.,	39.83
Genevieve Murch, cleaning E. B.,	7.50
Frank Harding, cleaning E. B.,	7.50
J. C. Babb, cleaning toilets N. B.,	2.50
C. B. Dolge Co.,	22.64
Catharine Welch, cleaning E. B.,	53.22
Edith Wiggin, cleaning E. B.,	29.85
E. S. Mason, cleaning N. B.,	14.45
Frank Wentworth, cleaning E. B. toilets,	5.00
Dorothy Hulit, janitor,	4.00
Harry Thorne, janitor,	12.00
Alston Wormwood, janitor,	16.00
Agnes Walker, janitor,	44.00
Treasurer of State, water analysis,	9.75
The Glen Bobbin Co.,	1.50
	<hr/> \$1,421.14

FUEL

Jewett & Gunter, oil,	\$669.47
Robert Norton, wood,	10.00
David Harmon, sawing wood,	8.25
Carroll Babb, sawing wood,	5.00
Clarence Kaye, 6 cds. wood fitted,	96.00
	<hr/> \$788.72

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, COMMON SCHOOLS RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$10,000.00
Received from State,	3,957.69

School fund,	100.00
State aid from treasurer,	1.22
From overdraft appropriation,	281.70
	<hr/> \$14,340.61

EXPENDITURES

Teachers' salaries,	\$7,479.38
Fuel,	788.72
Janitor and cleaning,	1,421.14
Conveyance,	4,315.94
Elementary tuition,	180.00
Overdraft, 1947,	281.70
	<hr/> \$14,466.88
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Overdraft, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$126.27

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$400.00
Appropriated for school lights,	70.00
State school fund,	200.00
Town of Hiram, sale of books,	21.60
Scott, Foresman & Co., refund,	2.89
Balance from 1947,	4.42
	<hr/> \$698.91

EXPENDITURES

Central Maine Power Co., lights,	\$156.51
Arlene Black, telephone, 1946,	2.20
Kenneth Boothby, telephone, 1946,	6.59
Walter Pulsifer, postage, telephone and supplies,	36.05
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	59.01
J. L. Hammett Co.,	33.36
The MacMillan Co.,	15.33
Ginn & Co.,	72.45

The John C. Winston Co.,	4.93	
Scott, Foresman & Co.,	97.47	
McCormick Mathers,	4.16	
Allyn & Bacon,	11.04	
Gledhill Bros., Inc.,	26.59	
Standard Duplicating Machine Corp.,	32.80	
World Book Co.,	11.89	
Laidlaw Bros.,	13.50	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	15.68	
Chas. E. Merrill Co., Inc.,	2.25	
James E. Davidson,	3.20	
The Arlo Publishing Co.,	10.95	
Dowling School Supply Co.,	42.40	
Am. Education Press, Inc.,	19.80	
Town of Parsonsfield, transfer of books,	7.05	
Chester V. Small, billheads and envelopes,	2.92	
Baldwin & Sebago Tel. Co.,	7.25	
		<hr/> \$695.38
Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,		<hr/> \$3.53

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00	
Received from Health & Welfare,	250.00	
Balance from 1947,	116.03	
		<hr/> \$4,366.03

EXPENDITURES

Standish, tuition,	\$ 375.00	
Fryeburg, tuition,	1,436.25	
Sebago, tuition,	2,331.74	
New Gloucester, tuition,	50.00	
		<hr/> \$4,192.99
Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,		<hr/> \$173.04

SCHOOL REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$2,000.00
Sale of stove,	20.00
From overdraft appropriation,	54.15
	<hr/> \$2,074.15

EXPENDITURES

Gerald Wood, electric supplies E. B.,	\$ 8.00
Robert S. Pike, reception for supt.,	5.00
Carroll Babb, labor at N. B.,	6.00
L. H. Chute, Kemtone,	2.94
W. R. Martin, labor and stock at E. B.,	10.20
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.,	50.75
J. E. Riley, insurance on school houses,	27.00
The Strout Co., roof coating,	1.50
W. B. Andrews, glass, etc.,	4.29
The Fyre-Fyter Co.,	38.85
Lowe Brothers, paint,	113.72
James F. Howe, labor and supplies E. and W. B.,	581.47
Norton Hardware Co.,	.80
Chase Parker, labor at N. B.,	48.58
Lindley Decker, labor at N. B.,	36.00
Chutes' Express, express on paint,	.52
R. B. Chase, painting, W. B.,	107.40
C. W. Chase, painting, W. B.,	106.45
Lindley Decker, labor at E. B.,	55.00
Chase Parker, labor at E. B.,	162.10
Small Bros., supplies,	1.45
Carroll Chase, labor at E. B.,	64.00
Chester Chase, labor at E. B.,	64.00
Eastern Oil & Equipment Co., repairs, E. B.,	52.39
Chase Parker, labor on storm doors,	33.25
M. P. Fitch, supplies,	6.70

Fitch Lumber Co., stock for storm doors,	13.20	
L. C. Andrew, half round,	2.60	
Harry E. McKenney, labor at E. B.,	12.00	
Overdraft, 1947,	54.15	
	<hr/>	\$1,570.31

Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$503.84
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MUSIC IN SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriated by town,	\$535.00	
State school fund,	25.00	
Balance from 1947,	3.81	
	<hr/>	\$563.81

EXPENDITURES

Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$490.00	
Silver Burdett Co.,	66.67	
	<hr/>	\$556.67

Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$7.14
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DRAINING SCHOOL YARD

Balance on hand, Feb. 10, 1948,	\$310.95
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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

BALDWIN—1947

Public Health Nursing is concerned with securing and maintaining better health for all members of the community.

In your town five Child Health Conferences have been held during the summer and fall months. Twenty-eight pre-school children and one infant were examined by Dr. Paul Marston, attending physician. The total attendance was fifty-three. Fifteen children were immunized against diphtheria, fifteen against whooping cough, sixteen against tetanus, and twelve against small-pox.

Home visits have been made to infants, pre-school children, and school children, to aid in building of good mental and physical health.

In addition, several visits have been made to crippled children and those with heart involvement, to assist the parents in securing medical care and to interpret medical recommendations.

Without the aid of committees comprised of interested citizens of the town, it is difficult for the public health nurse to give all of her time to the direct professional service which she alone can give.

The success of the Child Health Conference this year is in great part due to the excellent Child Health Conference Committee in your town.

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS,
Public Health Nurse,
Division of Public Health Nursing,
State Bureau of Health,
Portland, Maine.

December 31, 1947.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

FISCAL YEAR 1947 - 1948

Vital statistics:

Number of births recorded,	12
Number of marriages recorded,	13
Number of deaths recorded,	9

Dog tax account:

Collected and paid to State, \$95.10

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of Baldwin:

I hereby submit for your consideration my annual
report as superintendent of your schools.

Three schools were in operation during the past year.
Grade assignments were as follows:

East Baldwin	Grades 1—4	Mrs. Nellie Black
	5—8	Mrs. Gladys Cartret
North Baldwin	Grades 1—8	Mrs. Dorothy Hulit
West Baldwin	Grades 1—4	Mrs. Louise Gray
	5—8	Mrs. Ida Ward

A successful dental clinic was held again in Baldwin
through the cooperation of the Cumberland County Pub-
lic Health Association and the public spirited citizens
who furnished the transportation.

Dental service worth \$537.00 was received for the
\$125.00 raised.

The Mattocks (East Baldwin) Parent-Teachers Association continues to conduct a very successful hot lunch program at the East Baldwin School in spite of the high cost of food and reductions in the quantities of available free foods. This program makes it possible for the children to have a third hot and nourishing meal each day. Through the generosity of the East Baldwin P. T. A., insulating board was contributed for sheathing the ceiling of the lunch room. This will be painted in attractive colors in the very near future.

A group of mothers have started a lunch program for the North school. The "B" type of lunch without milk or a hot main dish is served. The North Baldwin Church Guild not only has contributed the food and organized volunteers to do the cooking but has donated needed equipment. The hot dish is prepared in the home of a parent and delivered at the school in time for dinner.

The West Baldwin P. T. A. is constructing a playroom in the West school for the small children. Arrangements are being made to provide a supervisor during the hours they are released from classes for play.

The Stanford achievement tests were administered again. These tests indicate the amount of achievement each child has made to date as well as the improvement he has made during the past year. An alert teacher can plan her instruction more effectively and make more adequate provision for the individual differences of each child.

The following repairs were made during the past year:

The two classrooms, toilet rooms and cloakrooms in the East and West schools, respectively, were painted.

Double bracket shades have been ordered for both rooms at the East school. Additional fire extinguishers were installed in all schools.

The fence at North school was repaired and painted.

Storm doors were installed at the East and West schools.

The oil-fired furnace at East school was regulated to burn less oil.

The following repairs are needed for the coming year:

Paint the interior and exterior of the North school.

Erect a new flagpole at the North school.

Paint the lunch room at the East school.

Replace some of the worn out fixed desks with moveable combination desks and chairs at East and West schools.

Buff the blackboards at East school.

Install fusible link shutoffs on the oil lines at East and West schools.

Install bulletin boards in all schools.

Erect cottage top over bulkhead at East School for second fire exit from lunchroom.

The following appropriations are requested and recommended by your Superintending School Committee:

Elementary schools,	\$12,880.00
(Elementary schools—if two rooms are added,)	17,380.00
Books and supplies,	600.00
Lights,	160.00
Music,	550.00
Secondary school tuition,	4,000.00
Repairs,	1,650.00

In closing, I thank all those whose cooperation has contributed to the success of our schools during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER T. PULSIFER,

Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Elementary Schools

RESOURCES

Amount received from town, Art. 39, \$	281.70
Amount raised by town,	10,000.00
Amount received from State school fund,	3,957.69
Amount received from Ministerial school fund,	100.00
Amount of State aid received from town treasurer,	1.22
	<hr/> \$14,340.61
Overdraft to balance,	126.27
	<hr/> \$14,466.88

EXPENDITURES

Paid:	
Teachers,	\$7,479.38
Fuel,	788.72
Janitor, cleaning and supplies,	1,421.14
Elementary tuition,	180.00
Overdraft, 1946-47,	281.70
	<hr/> \$14,466.88

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 4.42
Amount raised by town,	400.00
Amount received from State school fund,	200.00
Lights,	70.00
Amount received from town of Hiram,	21.60
Amount received from Scott, Foresman & Co. (refund),	2.89
	<hr/> \$698.91

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Books and supplies,	\$538.87	
For lights,	156.51	
	<hr/>	\$695.38
Amount unexpended this year,		3.53
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		\$698.91

MUSIC
RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 3.81	
Amount raised by town,	535.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$563.81

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Flora Carpenter, teacher,	\$490.00	
For supplies,	66.67	
	<hr/>	\$556.67
Amount unexpended this year,		7.14
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		\$563.81

REPAIRS
RESOURCES

Amount received from town, Art. 39, \$	54.15	
Amount raised by town,	2,000.00	
Amount received from Leland Booth- 'by (sale of stove),	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,074.15

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

Overdraft, 1946-47,	\$ 54.15	
Repairs, 1947-48,	1,516.16	
	<hr/>	\$1,570.31
Amount unexpended this year,		503.84
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		\$2,074.15

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

RESOURCES

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 116.03
Amount raised by town,	4,000.00
Amount from State Dept. of Health & Welfare, tuition,	250.00
	<hr/> \$4,366.03

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

H. W. Hastings, treasurer Fryeburg Academy,	\$1,436.25
Town of Sebago,	2,331.74
Town of Standish,	375.00
Town of New Gloucester,	50.00
	<hr/> \$4,192.99
Amount unexpended this year,	173.04
	<hr/> \$4,366.03

Mr. Clarence Q. Brown



Annual Report

of the

Municipal Officers

of the

TOWN OF

BALDWIN

MAINE

For the Fiscal Year ending

FEBRUARY 1, 1949

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

of the

Town of Baldwin

Maine

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

C. A. WOOD

GEORGE L. STEVENS

WENDELL B. WIGGIN

Superintending School Committee

DOROTHY SMITH

LESTER WOOD

ARLENE BLACK (March to July)

ROSCOE SPENCER (October to March)

Superintendent of Schools

WALTER PULSIFER

Treasurer and Tax Collector

JOHN O. SANBORN

Road Commissioners

J. HOWARD CARTRET

LEONARD LOCKE

EVERETT DAVIS

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector

JOHN O. SANBORN

AUDITOR'S REPORT

1947

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin,
Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your request, we have audited the books of accounts and records of the Town of Baldwin, for the fiscal year ended February 10, 1948, and submit, herewith, the following exhibits and schedule setting forth the financial condition of the town as of February 10, 1948, and a summary of its operations for the fiscal year then ended.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment.

Exhibit "B" Comparative Balance Sheets.

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations.

Exhibit "D" Analysis of Surplus.

Schedule 1 Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements.

In connection therewith, we examined the balance sheet of the Town of Baldwin, and the statements of revenues, expenditures, and surplus, ascertained to the extent possible that all revenue had been properly accounted for, and made such other tests as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

In our opinion based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet, and related statements, fairly present the position of the Town of Baldwin at February 10, 1948, and the results of its operations for the fiscal year then ended.

Respectfully submitted,
GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE.
By FRED R. GOULD,
Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT "B"

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS
Years Ended February 10

Assets

Cash,	\$4,970.79	\$4,395.49
Uncollected taxes,	2,801.27	573.40
Accounts receivable,	289.99	218.00
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Total assets,	\$8,062.05	\$5,186.89
Trust fund investments,	1,000.00	
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$9,062.05	\$5,186.89

Liabilities

Withholding tax,	\$ 23.90	
Notes payable,	9,000.00	\$9,000.00
Surplus,	961.85	3,813.11
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Total liabilities and surplus,	\$8,062.05	\$5,186.89
Trust fund principal,	1,000.00	
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Total liabilities, surplus and trust fund principal,	\$9,062.05	\$5,186.89

EXHIBIT "D"

ANALYSIS OF SURPLUS
Year Ended February 10, 1948

Balance, February 10, 1947,		\$3,813.11
Additions:		
Supplemental taxes, 1947,	\$ 75.00	
Poll taxes, 1947,	543.00	
Collection on tax lien,	50.96	
Excise taxes, 1947,	1,823.27	
Excise taxes, 1948,	141.84	

Appropriations unexpended, Exhibit "C",	437.94	
Accounts receivable, support of poor,	71.99	
	<hr/>	3,144.00
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		\$669.11

Deductions:

Abatement of 1947 taxes,	\$ 18.00	
Prior years taxes, charged off,	250.84	
Withholding taxes,	23.90	
	<hr/>	292.74
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Balance, February 10, 1948,	\$961.85
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TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 7th day of March, 1949, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at the said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, tax collector, constable, town clerk, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to elect its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor in the year 1950 as follows: one for three years, one for two years, one for one year, and thereafter elect one each year for a term of three years.

Art. 5. To see whether or not the town desires to accept the gift of a plot of land opposite the site of the old "Town House" for a consolidated school building, on condition that the erection of said building shall be begun within five years from this date.

Art. 6. To see what action the town will take regarding a consolidated school building and if favorable action is taken to see how much money shall be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school buildings.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for textbooks and supplies in the school rooms.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for music in the schools.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for lights in the school rooms.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944, as amended.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the patrol of State highway, "Pequawket Trail" and State Aid roads.

Art. 19. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to make any arrangements, and what, in regard to snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, more or less, to be paid to the William Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day Fund.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504.00, more or less, for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified public accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1949 taxes.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to pay one outstanding note.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 31. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Section 82, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to improve the road leading from the State Aid highway to the home of Fred Howell.

Art. 33. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to improve the road leading from State highway 11, to Woods Mill.

Art. 34. To see what action, if any, the town will vote to take regarding the disposal of the Burnell School.

Art. 35. To see what action, if any, the town will vote to take regarding the \$1,000.00 in the Burnell School repair fund.

Art. 36. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin, said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to hold a dental clinic and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for fire protection, said sum to be equally divided among the three fire companies of Baldwin.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the public library at East Baldwin.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money necessary to take care of overdraft for emergency road repairs.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for repairs and painting of the selectmen's office.

Art. 43. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deed for such property.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from any money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to take any action in regard to selling timber on the town farm.

Art. 46. To see what action the town will take in regard to a budget committee.

Art. 47. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to pay part, or all, of R. F. Chase fire loan note amounting to \$3,000.00.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of votes at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 1st day of February, 1949.

C. A. WOOD,
GEORGE L. STEVENS,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1949

RECOMMENDED BY SELECTMEN

Art. 13.	Support of the poor,	\$2,500.00
Art. 14.	Roads and bridges,	3,600.00
Art. 15.	Miscellaneous,	2,000.00
Art. 16.	Bushes on town roads,	750.00
Art. 17.	State Aid construction,	1,066.00
Art. 18.	State highway patrol,	1,700.00
Art. 20.	Officers' compensation,	2,200.00
Art. 21.	Snow removal,	4,000.00
Art. 26.	Audit,	75.00
Art. 28.	Interest,	500.00
Art. 39.	Workmen's Compensation,	200.00
Art. 41.	Overdraft for emergency road repairs,	760.42

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending February 1, 1949.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. WOOD,
GEORGE L. STEVENS,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1948 ASSESSMENT, VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1948

Real estate, non-resident,	\$440,766.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	9,491.00
Real estate, resident,	152,885.00
Personal estate, resident,	37,039.00
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Total valuation,	\$640,181.00
Appropriated by town,	\$39,813.50
State tax,	5,091.12
County tax,	1,179.36
Overlay,	1,660.03
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Total property tax, in- cluding polls,	\$47,744.01
Estimated excise tax, deducted,	1,029.98
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Committed to collector,	\$46,714.03
Property tax,	\$46,093.03
Polls,	621.00
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Total committed to collector,	\$46,714.03
Supplementary tax, \$65.28.	
Extra polls taxed, 15, \$45.00.	
Polls taxed, 207.	
Polls not taxed, 35.	
Rate of taxation, \$.072.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

45 horses,	\$2,925.00
139 cows,	7,645.00
26 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	1,170.00
24 heifers, over 2 yrs. old,	720.00
13 heifers, 8 mos. to 2 yrs. old,	325.00
21,870 chicks to 2 mos. old,	1,612.00

23 goats,	115.00	
2 swine,	30.00	
4,934 poultry, fowl,	3,947.00	
		<hr/> \$18,489.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 7,846.00	
13 gasoline pumps,	1,025.00	
186 radios,	1,860.00	
1,115 M lumber,	11,150.00	
10 M logs,	40.00	
16 musical instruments,	550.00	
Other property,	5,570.00	
		<hr/> \$28,041.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

64 cattle, 18 mos. and younger,	\$1,280.00	
62 swine,	930.00	
2,530 fowl,	2,024.00	
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\$4,234.00

ABATEMENTS

Wayne Bowie, paid elsewhere,	\$ 3.00	
M. W. Cook, exempt,	3.00	
Ralph Crawford, exempt,	3.00	
Frank Harding, exempt,	3.00	
David Harmon, deceased,	3.00	

UNPAID TAXES

Almon Harmon, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Omar Herbert, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Eddie LaPlante, exempt,	9.48	
Merle Moore, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Andrew Paulsen, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Lester Snow, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Harry Wilks, residence unknown,	3.72	
Eugene Spring, residence unknown,	7.68	
Merle Wentworth, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
William Walker, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Sloane-Blabon Corp., error,	72.00	
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\$128.88

Resident

Gardner Black, real estate,	\$54.00
Nelson Carver, personal,	.72
George C. Dow, real estate,	19.80
Albert Driscoll, real estate,	61.20
Ralph Driscoll, personal,	4.68
Everett Emerson, personal, real es- tate and poll,	41.16
Percy Estes, personal and poll,	3.72
Donald Estes, personal and poll,	3.72
Lester Frazier, real estate and poll,	7.32
Albert Gould, real estate,	47.16
Percy Guptill, personal and poll,	3.72
Almon Harmon, real estate,	4.68
Eben Harmon, poll,	3.00
Charles Harrington, real estate,	4.32
Arthur Dyer, personal and real estate,	87.48
Alexander Mitchell, poll,	3.00
Ellsworth Moore, real estate and poll,	10.20
Joe Morton, real estate and poll,	8.04
Horace Richardson, heirs of, real es- tate,	.72
James Robbins, real estate,	7.20
Thomas Robbins, poll,	3.00
Edwin Rounds, 2nd, real estate,	4.32
Leander Rounds, heirs of, real estate,	10.08
William Rich, real estate and poll,	37.92
Myron L. Sanborn, personal, real es- tate and poll,	50.12
Elsie Benson, real estate,	16.92
Glen Verrill, real estate,	50.76
Hazen Wiley, real estate,	10.44
Kenneth Woodbury, real estate and poll,	7.32
Charles Yates, poll,	3.00
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	\$569.72

Non-Resident

Lewis Brown, heirs of, real estate,	\$ 10.08	
Ralph Anderson, real estate,	22.68	
Deering Lumber Co., real estate,	21.60	
Moses L. Frankel, real estate,	28.80	
John Fullerton, real estate,	11.52	
Veta Gerber, real estate,	1.80	
Mrs. Frederick Gardner, real estate,	21.60	
Marjorie Fuller, real estate,	10.80	
Thomas McSherry, real estate,	72.00	
Clarence Kaye, real estate,	283.10	
William Kenney, real estate,	7.92	
Katherine Martin, real estate,	10.80	
Deering P. Merrill, heirs of, real estate,	4.32	
Morton Rowe, real estate,	7.20	
Charles W. Sanborn, real estate,	.72	
	<hr/>	\$514.94

Taxes Paid After the Books Were Closed

Hazen Wiley, real estate,	\$10.44
Marjorie Fuller, real estate,	\$10.80

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

J. Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$401.60	
Frank York, labor,	129.75	
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber for bridge,	33.06	
Norman Murch, labor,	137.25	
Jesse Decker, labor,	3.75	
John Crawford, labor,	2.20	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	6.00	
Everett Davis, labor and truck,	184.00	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	12.00	
Eben Harmon, labor,	18.00	
C. A. Wood, gasoline for truck,	3.32	
	<hr/>	\$930.93

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Leonard Locke, commissioner and truck,	\$296.78
L. R. Burnell, gasoline for truck,	29.43
Edward McNeil, labor,	112.88
Eben Harmon, labor,	18.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	177.76
John Kelley & Son, lumber for bridge,	109.98
Walter Warren, labor,	6.00
Edgar Gordon, labor,	123.88
Albert Locke, truck and labor,	5.71
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	76.08
Congdon Trans. Co., express on culverts,	.88
Norman Murch, labor,	6.00
L. C. Cotton, shovels, etc.,	26.32
Albert Howard, blacksmith work,	1.40
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	90.82
	<hr/> \$1,081.92

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	\$467.50
Walter Murch, gasoline for truck,	27.77
Frank York, labor,	154.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	22.50
Norman Murch, labor,	94.51
Alfred Crawford, labor,	6.75
Jesse Decker, labor,	13.50
Carl Hawkins, labor,	6.00
Prentist Wentworth, labor,	14.25
Will Wentworth, labor,	5.25
Edward Crawford, labor,	67.88
Wendell Wiggin, labor,	11.35
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	8.25
Everett Perkins, labor,	2.63
W. H. Cram, labor,	64.88
John Wentworth, labor,	5.25

Norman Pomerleau, labor,	6.00
C. A. Wood, gasoline for truck,	6.56
M. P. Fitch, nails,	2.70
Fitch Lumber Co., nails,	6.20
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	47.68
Eben Harmon, labor,	10.13
D. B. Hardy, gasoline for truck,	3.78
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	\$1,055.32
Appropriated by town	\$3,000.00
Total,	3,068.17

Overdraft, February 1, 1949, \$68.17

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Guy Wentworth, foreman,	\$ 84.00
Ellsworth Libby, labor,	51.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	56.25
Frank York, labor,	63.75
Norman Murch, labor,	51.00
Carroll Wadsworth, Jr., bulldozer and labor,	400.00
Harry Fitch, gravel,	42.75
E. D. Chadbourne, gravel,	134.90
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	70.46
Clarence Stetson, labor,	33.00
Leonard Locke, truck and labor,	128.25
Paul Estes, labor and truck,	114.75
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	136.50
Clarence Crawford, labor,	9.00
Verne Wales, labor,	22.95
Manuel Stacey, labor,	36.00
Raymond Wood, truck and labor,	37.80
State Highway Commission, shovel,	381.25
N. E. Asphalt & Tar Co., tar surface,	268.00
J. Howard Cartret, truck,	18.00
Angie Poor, gravel,	3.75
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	\$2,143.36

DeRENNE ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$500.00
J. Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$140.00	
Frank York, labor,	79.30	
Norman Murch, labor,	68.25	
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	120.00	
	<hr/>	\$407.55
Balance on hand, February 1, 1949,		\$92.45

CUTTING TOWN BUSHES

Appropriated by town,		\$500.00
Everett Davis, commissioner and labor,	\$87.75	
Norman Murch, labor,	82.88	
Frank York, labor,	88.13	
Eben Harmon, labor,	13.88	
W. H. Cram, labor,	4.50	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	50.63	
Leonard Locke, commissioner and labor,	79.00	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	34.50	
Edgar Gordon, labor,	25.50	
Edward McNeil, labor,	33.75	
	<hr/>	\$500.52
Overdraft, February 1, 1949,		\$.52

EMERGENCY ROAD REPAIRS, WASHOUT

Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	\$88.34
Frank York, labor,	39.41
Edwin Crawford, labor,	9.75
Norman McKenney, truck and labor,	51.00
Alfred Crawford, labor,	8.25
Norman Murch, labor,	28.88
Wendell Wiggin, team,	31.50
Albion Mason, labor,	4.13

Harry Thorne, labor,	3.75
Eugene Thorne, labor,	1.50
J. H. Murch, team,	3.00
J. Howard Cartret, truck and com- missioner,	72.00
Forest Thorne, labor,	13.51
W. H. Cram, team and labor,	13.50
Herbert Brown, labor,	5.60
Eben Harmon, labor,	6.00
Leonard Locke, commissioner and truck,	96.62
Moses Woodbury, labor,	6.75
Fred Locke, labor,	12.00
Edward McNeil, labor,	28.76
Edgar Gordon, labor,	6.00
Walter Poor, labor,	7.50
Paul Estes, labor,	32.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	25.51
Merle Moore, labor,	17.73
Arthur Tufts, labor,	3.68
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	12.75
Arthur Powers, truck and labor,	56.00
Roland Warren, labor,	6.75
Stanley Graffam, labor,	42.75
George Graffam, labor,	18.75
Rodney Warren, labor,	6.75
	<hr/> \$760.42

UNIMPROVED ROADS (MUD MONEY)

Walter Murch, gasoline for truck,	\$ 15.66
Lester Burnell, gasoline for truck,	10.13
Hardy's Garage, gasoline for truck,	5.80
Guy Wentworth, labor,	21.00
Ellsworth Libby, labor,	.75
Clarence Stetson, labor,	6.75
Raymond Thombs, labor,	36.00
Frank York, labor,	39.00
Norman Murch, labor,	7.50

Leonard Locke, truck,	121.50	
Paul Estes, truck,	38.25	
Everett Davis, truck,	123.75	
Raymond Wood, truck,	173.25	
Carroll Wadsworth, bulldozer and labor,	273.90	
Manuel Stacey, truck and labor,	126.00	
Clarence Crawford, labor,	3.75	
Arnold Pendexter, labor,	38.00	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	61.15	
Harry Fitch, gravel,	2.02	
Wilbur Small, gravel,	52.80	
E. D. Chadbourne, gravel,	48.40	
Frank York, gravel,	74.60	
Albion Milliken, labor,	2.25	
Clarence Kaye, truck,	5.40	
State Highway Commission, shovel,	408.70	
		<hr/> \$1,696.31
Apportioned by State,	\$1,452.75	
Unexpended balance 1947,	74.73	
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Total fund,		1,527.48
Cost of road,	\$1,696.31	
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Total State apportionment,		1,527.48
Town expenditure,	\$1,696.31	
Disallowance for gravel,	177.82	
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Received from State,		1,518.49
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Unexpended balance, 1948,		\$8.99

PATROL MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00	
Town's requisition,	1,424.40	
		<hr/> \$75.60

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$504.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.,	\$504.00

OTHER LIGHTS

Central Maine Power Co., plow shed,	\$12.00	
Central Maine Power Co., town office,	9.00	
		<hr/> \$21.00

SNOW REMOVAL

(Including Sanding, Plowing and Snow Fence)

Ralph Crawford, labor,	\$ 83.50
W. H. Cram, labor,	33.38
Wendell Wiggin, labor,	30.75
Edwin Crawford, labor,	67.88
Norman Murch, labor,	94.01
Albion Mason, labor,	14.00
Herbert Brown, sand,	3.80
Everett Perkins, labor,	3.38
H. F. Partridge, gasoline and oil,	8.83
Frank York, labor,	168.02
Almon Harmon, labor,	4.13
Eben Harmon, labor,	9.38
Hardy's Garage, gasoline and oil,	1.80
Norman McKenney, truck,	17.00
Walter Murch, gasoline and oil,	37.47
J. D. Sampson, gasoline and oil,	34.23
Wood's Garage, repairs on plows,	974.56
Shurtleff & Co., salt,	443.30
W. B. Richardson, plow parts,	215.55
Southworth Machine Co., tractor re- pairs,	140.09
Treasurer of State, town's share highway,	438.40
Files & O'Keefe, plow parts,	97.81
F. G. Congdon, express on plow parts,	1.75
Chute's Express, express on plow parts,	.52
Everett Davis, labor and truck,	518.69
Leonard Locke, labor and truck,	662.75
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	44.00

Saco Valley Garage, tractor repairs,	9.25
Williams Bros. & Co., tractor repairs,	69.94
Etta Riley, sand,	13.00
Herman Hartford, sand,	1.50
Howard Cartret, plowing,	770.38
Roscoe Spencer, labor,	19.79
Carl Ridlon, labor,	11.25
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	6.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	171.44
George Stevens, labor,	37.75
Harvey Bliss, labor,	21.00
Henry Crawford, labor,	3.00
Albert Locke, car hire,	5.00
L. R. Burnell, tractor gasoline, oil and repairs,	204.66
Alfred Crawford, labor,	44.26
W. B. Andrews, tractor repairs	.87
Stanley Graffam, labor,	30.75
George Graffam, labor,	9.75
George Wood, labor,	11.63
Edgar Gordon, labor,	39.00
Edward McNeil, labor,	84.38
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Cost of snow removal,	\$5,713.58
Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00
Received from State,	2,018.99
Received from C. A. Wood for plow jack,	25.00
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	6,043.99

Balance as of February 1, 1949, \$330.41

POOR RELIEF

L. H. Chute, supplies, Mrs. Judkins,	\$ 93.94
L. H. Chute, supplies, Charles Ward,	123.09
Mt. Cutler House, board tramps,	12.95
F. E. Wood & Sons, fuel, Mrs. Judkins,	12.00
E. A. Center, M. D., medical service, Charles Ward,	153.00

E. A. Center, M. D., medical service, G. Thompson,	54.50
E. A. Center, M. D., medical service, Mrs. Judkins,	104.00
Arthur Rowe, board, Zilpha Rowe,	180.00
Spraker's Store, supplies for G. Thompson,	696.98
H. F. Partridge, supplies for D. Har- mon,	139.03
Smith Clothing Co., clothing, Thomp- son family,	44.92
Smith Clothing Co., clothing, Gardner Black family,	28.32
P. C. Marston, M. D., medical service, Gardner Black family,	77.00
R. J. Wood, supplies, Clarence Foss,	64.06
Mrs. Leslie Sanborn, board, Cook chil- dren,	204.00
Hamilton Funeral Home, services, Nat Riley,	110.00
Dr. DeBiaso, medical service, D. Harmon family,	20.00
Dr. DeBiaso, medical service, Cook children,	12.00
J. L. Chick, milk, Mrs. Judkins,	93.00
J. L. Chick, milk, Charles Ward,	33.44
Lois Bliss, board, Nat Riley,	92.84
S. G. Sawyer, M. D., medical service, Nat Riley,	29.00
Other poor relief,	87.00
Clarence Kaye, fuel for poor relief,	60.00
	<hr/> \$2,525.07
Appropriated by town,	\$1,800.00
Received from Town of Windham on account Gardner Black family,	63.00
	<hr/> 1,863.00
Overdraft as of February 1, 1949,	\$662.07

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$150.00
Paid J. Everett Riley,	197.02

Overdraft as of February 1,
1949, \$47.02

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

(Including Cemetery, Memorial Funds, Etc.)

Norman Berry, telephone and car hire, \$	60.00
R. C. Spencer, telephone, postage and car hire,	60.00
East Baldwin Library Association,	200.00
Elwood Milliken, error in taxes (over payment),	32.96
F. O. Bailey, desk and chairs for town office,	59.00
Discount Martin, typewriter and file, town office,	163.90
C. E. Somers, treasurer's expenses,	100.52
Norman Pomeleau, brush fire,	2.25
Carl Hawkins, brush fire,	2.25
Eva Spencer, postage, etc.,	10.00
Eva Spencer, pay as treasurer,	20.00
Town of Standish, fires,	151.25
Chester V. Small, printing town re- ports,	136.50
Ida Ward, telephone, postage and sta- tionery,	10.44
Chester V. Small, town supplies and printing,	25.62
Chester V. Small, treasurer's supplies,	11.85
Chester V. Small, printing check lists,	29.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone for town office (paid one year),	65.40
Marks Printing House, office supplies,	44.25
J. Everett Riley, stamped envelopes,	17.44
Wood's Garage, office supplies,	3.56

Wood's Garage, repairs to town truck,	122.29
Loring, Short & Harmon, treasurer's supplies,	2.05
Loring, Short & Harmon, town clerk's supplies,	19.00
Graffam's Accounting Service, audit, 1947,	75.00
T. W. Somers, town bonds,	75.00
Central Maine Power Co., lights for town office,	.60
Chute's Express, express on office equipment,	7.21
Seth Clemons, gasoline for forest fire,	5.83
William Goodwin's Post, A. L. Memo- rial fund,	100.00
George Stevens, telephone,	5.15
C. A. Wood, telephone office supplies and mileage,	46.47
Frank York, error in pay,	18.75
Norman Murch, error in pay,	30.00
Hays Drug Store, public health vac- cine,	14.52
West Baldwin Grange, rent of hall,	50.00
R. W. Giles, insurance, town truck,	72.95
R. W. Giles, insurance, tractor and plow,	13.60
R. W. Giles, insurance, town office,	37.50
J. O. Sanborn, telephone and mileage,	88.25
Lester Burnell, gasoline for town truck,	3.02
Carroll Babb, fire patrol,	1.82
Norman Murch, fire patrol,	.91
Eben Harmon, fire patrol,	.98
Walter Murch, fire patrol,	.49
Wendell Wiggin, fire patrol,	1.05
East Baldwin Fire Co., fire patrol,	6.30
Ernest Bliss, care of Brown cemetery,	25.00
Wendell Wiggin, telephone and mile- age,	21.49

U. S. Auto & Truck Guide, treasurer's supplies,	4.50	
Everett Davis, withholding tax returned,	17.10	
Alfred Crawford, withholding tax returned,	.30	
George Stevens, withholding tax returned,	1.80	
Leonard Locke, withholding tax returned,	3.10	
Joseph Stokes, withholding tax returned,	1.50	
Ralph Crawford, withholding tax returned,	.50	
Alfred Jewell, school building committee,	38.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,118.72
Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00	
Transferred from town office account,	70.48	
	<hr/>	1,570.48
Overdraft as of February 1, 1949,		\$548.24

TOWN OFFICE ACCOUNT

Murray Milliken, delivering Jewett & Gunter safe,	\$ 15.00	
Harry McKenney, labor and materials,	34.00	
Carroll Chase, labor and materials,	80.52	
Chase Transfer, delivering safes,	240.00	
	<hr/>	\$369.52
Appropriated by town,	\$300.00	
Received from Town of Brownfield, safe,	140.00	
	<hr/>	440.00
Unexpended balance transferred to miscellaneous account,		\$70.48

FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Murray Milliken, freight on fire hose,	\$ 7.25
Crosby & Seigers Co., hose, nozzles, etc.,	865.73
R. R. Express Co., C. O. D., pumps and hose,	321.48
Wood's Garage, tank fittings, E. B. Fire Co.,	50.50
Willard Champion, nozzles, W. B. Fire Co.,	6.00
Crosby & Seigers Co., equipment, W. B. Fire Co.,	205.00
Paid to W. B. Fire Co.,	31.00
Paid to N. B. Fire Co.,	300.00
R. F. Chase, interest on fire loan (6 months),	45.00
Willard Champion, repairs on Indian pumps,	10.00
Willard Champion, Indian pumps,	341.10
	<hr/> \$2,183.06
Appropriated by town,	2,200.00
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Unexpended balance as of Feb- ruary 1, 1949,	\$16.94

FUNDS HIRED AT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING FOR THE THREE FIRE COMPANIES

R. F. Chase, note,	\$3,000.00
Transferred to East Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$1,000.00
Transferred to West Baldwin Fire Co.,	1,000.00
Transferred to North Baldwin Fire Co.,	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$3,000.00

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Louise Gray,	\$1,428.48
Nellie Black,	1,357.84
Gladys Cartret,	1,277.34
Ida Ward,	1,459.44
Dorothy Hulit,	612.79
Annette Symmes,	770.26
Collector of Internal Revenue,	641.00
Associated Hospital Service, Dorothy Hulit,	11.90
Treasurer of State, T. R. F.,	425.65
Gladys Cartret, tuition for summer school,	50.00
	—————\$8,034.70

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Cornish, Clifford Dow,	\$ 70.00
Town of Sebago, Gould children,	150.00
Town of Hiram, Dupree children,	40.00
	—————\$260.00

OPENING BURNELL SCHOOL

Appropriated by town,	\$1,000.00
Unexpended balance as of February 1, 1949,	\$1,000.00

CONVEYANCE

Ada McKenney,	\$ 815.00
Melvin Cook,	680.00
Wilbur Black,	595.00
Thelma Warren,	1,450.00
Arthur Richards,	175.00
Lawrence Hoyt,	760.00
William Hartford,	48.00
R. W. Giles, insurance on school buses,	134.10
	—————\$4,657.10

SCHOOL REPAIRS

Clarence Small, oil painters,	\$ 7.00
L. H. Chute, light bulbs,	1.14
J. L. Hammett Co., chair desks,	53.50
Congdon Transportation Co., express on desks,	5.13
Treasurer of State, water analysis,	17.51
Emery Waterhouse Co., lock,	6.65
Arthur Stevens, piano repairs,	29.00
Edwards & Walker Co., milk kettles, N. B. School,	8.09
Eastern Oil & Equipment Co., clean- ing burners,	57.78
W. B. Andrews, fitting glass, etc.,	30.31
Warren Martin, repairs, E. B. School,	52.71
Chase Parker, labor, zinc, screws, etc.,	178.65
Beckley Cardy Co., shades and chair glides,	71.97
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	30.00
Warren & Son, piano repairs and tun- ing,	6.75
L. D. Moulton, paint,	28.50
Norton Hardware, paint, putty, etc.,	17.15
Aetna Engineering Co., pump repairs, W. B. School,	24.20
Carroll Chase, painting and supplies, N. B. School,	97.05
Roland Chase, painting and supplies, N. B. School,	90.00
James F. Howe, labor and parts for oil burners,	152.58
N. T. Fox Co., door, hardware, etc.,	17.00
The Strout Co., axe,	1.85
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co., paint,	19.08
Meserve's Express, express on paint,	1.23
Small Bros., patching plaster, shellac, etc.,	8.87

L. C. Andrew, lumber, nails, varnish, etc.,	46.60	
Chester I. Chase, labor, E. B. School,	176.00	
L. H. Chute, rope,	.60	
Alotol,	12.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,249.40
Appropriated by town,	\$650.00	
Balance from 1948,	503.84	
	<hr/>	1,153.84
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Overdraft as of February 1, 1948,		\$95.56

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Ginn & Co.,	\$117.09
Allyn & Bacon,	43.25
Scott & Forsman Co.,	141.95
Loring, Short & Harmon,	48.15
Central Maine Power Co., school lights,	152.40
Kenneth Boothby, telephone,	3.96
Arlene Black, telephone,	3.62
American Educational Press,	13.50
Readers Digest,	3.46
Beckley Cardy Co.,	18.28
Cressey & Allen,	13.96
World Book Co.,	11.08
Papercrafters, Inc.,	24.56
News Map of The Week,	17.07
McMathers & McCormick Co.,	14.15
Cascade Paper Co.,	40.96
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	55.20
Silver, Burdett Co.,	26.18
Craier Society,	3.00
Walter Pulsifer, telephone and postage,	44.26
Gledhill Bros., Inc.,	44.43
Macmillan Co.,	24.90
Meaningfull Materials Co.,	14.08

American Book Co.,	25.84	
Laidlow Bros. Co.,	7.42	
Edward Babb Co.,	3.89	
J. F. Hammett Co.,	8.49	
Grayler Society, Inc.,	99.50	
Treasurer of State,	2.00	
Papercrafters, Inc.,	8.96	
Maine Trading Co.,	2.06	
Royal Typewriter Co.,	22.95	
		<hr/> \$1,060.60
Unexpended last year,	\$ 3.53	
Appropriated by town,	600.00	
Appropriated for school lights,	160.00	
State school fund,	400.00	
Interest, Baldwin School fund,	100.00	
		<hr/> 1,263.53
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Unexpended balance as of Feb- 1, 1949,		\$202.93

JANITOR AND CLEANING

Frank Wentworth, janitor,	\$421.00
W. B. Andrews, janitor,	366.00
Edgar Gordon, janitor,	55.00
Martha White, janitor,	50.00
L. H. Chute, cleaning supplies,	1.35
C. M. Rice Co., paper,	90.40
Katherine Welch, cleaning,	21.37
C. B. Dolge Co., janitor's supplies,	40.70
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co., janitors' supplies,	18.56
J. I. Holcomb, cleaning supplies,	28.40
Red & White Store, cleaning supplies,	2.85
Olive Sanborn, cleaning,	21.75
Edith Wiggin, cleaning,	51.73
Harry Thorne, janitor,	68.00

Walter Pulsifer, supplies,	.40	
Genevieve Powers, cleaning,	50.92	
Elva Sanborn, cleaning,	21.75	
N. Baldwin School League,	36.00	
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	5.91	
Small Bros., supplies,	.59	
Warren Martin, cleaning,	3.86	
The Strout Co., cleaning supplies,	4.20	
		<hr/> \$1,360.74

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Fryeburg Academy,	\$1,410.75	
Town of Standish,	416.67	
Town of Sebago,	2,616.72	
City of Portland,	125.00	
Town of New Gloucester,	62.50	
		<hr/> \$4,631.64
Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00	
Received from State, health and wel- fare,	149.25	
Balance from 1948,	173.04	
State school fund,	1,000.00	
		<hr/> 5,322.29
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Unexpended balance as of Feb- ruary 1, 1949,		\$690.65

MUSIC IN SCHOOLS

Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$507.11	
Silver, Burdett Co., supplies,	30.68	
		<hr/> \$537.79
Appropriated by town,	\$550.00	
Balance from 1948,	7.14	
State school fund,	150.00	
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Unexpended balance as of Feb- ruary 1, 1949,		\$169.35

FUEL

Jewett & Gunter,	\$609.60
Lester Wood,	3.00
Agnes Walker,	10.00
F. E. Wood & Son,	15.00
Clarence Kaye,	36.00
	<hr/> \$673.60

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

J. Howard Cartret, posting warrants,	\$ 30.00
Roland Warren, health officer,	10.00
Edgar Gordon, health officer,	27.76
Dorothy Smith, school board,	21.60
Wendell Wiggin, selectman,	202.61
J. O. Sanborn, treasurer,	120.00
J. O. Sanborn, tax collector,	120.00
Donald Flint, moderator,	10.00
Lester Wood, school committee,	21.60
Arlene Black, school committee,	7.20
R. C. Spencer, school committee,	9.00
C. A. Wood, selectman,	171.00
George Stevens, selectman,	202.14
Ida Ward, town clerk,	90.00
Frank Hodgdon, ballot clerk,	24.00
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	24.00
Walter Pulsifer, superintendent of schools,	517.57
J. O. Sanborn, excise tax collector,	48.00
	<hr/> \$1,656.48
Appropriated by town,	• 1,800.00
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Unexpended balance as of Feb- ruary 1, 1949,	\$143.52

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin

Year Ended February 1, 1949

Receipts

Taxes collected current year,	\$45,683.46
Taxes collected prior years,	2,433.72
Excise taxes, year 1948,	1,253.50
Excise taxes, year 1949,	749.08
	<hr/> \$50,119.76

State grants:

School fund,	\$5,547.55
Highways,	5,387.91
Health and welfare,	149.25
Forest fire refund, 1947,	136.75
Railroad and telegraph tax,	27.58
Dog license refund,	29.99
Bank stock tax,	18.71
	<hr/> \$11,297.74

Other receipts:

Town of Brownfield, sale of safe,	\$ 140.00
C. A. Wood, sale of plow jack,	25.00
Licenses,	2.00
R. C. Spencer, estate of Nat Riley,	11.12
Rent of mixer,	4.00
Kezar Falls National Bank, temporary loans,	18,000.00
R. F. Chase, fire loan note,	3,000.00
Gladys Cartret, interest school fund,	100.00

Treasurer of United States, interest on cemetery fund,	25.00	
Town of Windham, refund doctor's bill for Wallace Black and Harry Wentworth,	63.00	
Cash balance, February 10, 1948,	4,970.79	
	<hr/>	\$26,340.91
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		\$87,758.41

Disbursements

Selectmen's warrants paid,	\$50,754.65	
Kezar Falls National Bank, temporary loans,	18,000.00	
Interest on same,	367.50	
Maude B. Locke, notes paid,	8,000.00	
Maude B. Locke, interest on notes,	905.40	
Stamps bought,	43.25	
State tax,	5,091.12	
County tax,	1,179.36	
Cash balance, February 1, 1949,	3,417.13	
	<hr/>	\$87,758.41

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of Baldwin:

I hereby submit for your consideration my third annual report as superintendent of your schools.

There was one change in the teaching staff during the past year. Mrs. Annette Symmes, of Newfield, replaced Mrs. Dorothy Hult, who resigned as teacher at the North School. At the East School, Mrs. Black returned as teacher of the primary grades and Mrs. Cartret as teacher of the grammar grades. At the West School, Mrs. Gray returned as teacher of the primary grades and Mrs. Ward as teacher of the grammar grades.

The dental clinic was suspended last year because the dentist was recalled to military service. Up to the present time the Health Association has been unable to secure a dentist.

The Mattocks PTA continues to operate a very successful hot lunch program at the East School. The West Baldwin PTA has started a hot lunch program at the West School. The playroom in the basement has been converted into an attractive combination lunch room and kitchen. A kitchen range was donated. Volunteer labor built sufficient shelves and bench space to enable the cook to more conveniently prepare and serve meals. The value of this program was clearly demonstrated in a very short time. The teachers report that they noticed an immediate improvement in the children's attitude towards their school work. The programs at both of the schools furnish the balanced and complete "A" type of meal with one-half pint of fresh milk per child.

The gift of a sum of money from the Baldwin School Fund made it possible to buy a set of the "Book of Knowledge" for the grammar grades in each of the three schools. The interest that the children displayed

in using these books indicate that additional sets of other types of standard encyclopedias should be purchased in the near future. A rotating program of adding one set each year would even the financial strain and avoid the situation where all of the sets are worn out in any one year. A similar program for the purchase of maps and charts should be started this year. At the present time the supply of maps is very inadequate to meet the minimum requirements for teaching classes in history and geography.

Your attention is invited to the report of the music supervisor which follows the financial report for the schools. An outline of the music curriculum and the program for the past year will be found there.

The annual water tests were made again this year. The water at East School was found to be satisfactory. After several tests, a safe source was found for the North School. It is hauled from a spring some distance from the school. The water at West School will be tested twice a year to see if the water draining from the wet ground in rear of the school may be mixing with the water veins which supply this school.

Roscoe Spencer and Lester Wood, represented the superintending school committee, on an inspection of the new Naples Consolidated Elementary School. After the inspection, they attended a meeting as guests of the Naples PTA and listened to Deputy Commissioner William O. Bailey explain the new Area High School law. The meeting concluded with the showing of a technicolor, sound motion picture which portrayed the consolidated school.

The repair program for the past year included several alterations and renovations which added to the life and increased the usefulness of the existing buildings. The exterior of the North School was given two coats of outside white paint. The weather side of the doors were painted dark green. The classroom was painted

with two coats of flat white on the ceiling, two coats of light green on the upper walls and two coats of light cream color on the wainscoting.

At the East School, two fire escape doors for the classrooms were built into the walls of the former walk-ways of the old privy section. These doors are equipped with night latches which permit the doors to be opened from the inside and swing outward by merely turning the knob and pushing against the door from the inside of the building. The unused space in this section of the building was converted into a book and supply closet by erecting shelves in appropriate locations. A second emergency exit was constructed for the basement lunch room at the East School. A cottage type bulkhead, with doors which swing out, was built on the concrete foundation of the old structure. This new structure eliminates the danger of the snow and ice from the roof blocking the fire exit. This type of alteration to provide additional fire escape exits from the classrooms and the basement lunch room should be constructed at the West School this year. Additional shelves for books and supplies should be erected in the section which was formerly used for the privies.

Ten desk and chair combinations were purchased to replace the worst of the seats now in use. However, a part of them are being used to seat the increased enrollment in certain grades

A sink for washing dishes should be located in the lunch room at the West School. The installation of a cold water faucet over the sink would be very helpful to the cook. A sink is urgently needed in the classroom of the North School. This sink should drain into a sump hole located away from the building foundations. Such an arrangement would permit the children to wash their hands more conveniently and dispose of the waste water from both the hand washing operation and the drinking cups in a more sanitary manner than that which is used

at the present time. Book shelves and bulletin boards should be located along the walls of both classrooms at the West School. The lack of these shelves and space to display the children's work seriously interferes with the effective use of these classrooms. Additional fluorescent lights should be located in the lunch room of the West School. The preparation benches and the kitchen stove are in a very poorly lighted corner. Two forty-eight inch, double tube units installed in this area would reduce the chances of accidents and enable the cook to do her work more efficiently. A double tube unit should be located above the table opposite the entrance. A large size electric clock is badly needed in each classroom. Accurate clocks are a classroom necessity for the teacher who wishes to follow a well organized work plan.

The condition of the buildings has reached the point where a rotating schedule for painting can be followed at a reduced cost to the town as well as maintaining the buildings in better condition. The local painter advises one outside coat every three years rather than two coats every six years or a longer period. The cost of of the one coat every three years is estimated to cost \$90.00 or a total of \$180.00 over a six year period. The cost of the labor alone for the two coats applied three years ago, was \$256.00 for each of the East and West Schools. If the cost of the materials is added to the labor cost, the total cost averaged \$325.00 for each building. From these facts it can be seen that it is wise to have each building painted with one coat every third year. The budget is organized to paint the East School next summer because the paint, though from the same manufacturer and applied by the same painter, at the same time, did not wear as well as that applied to the West School. If the town continues to use these buildings, the West School should receive one outside coat of paint in 1950 and the North School one coat in 1951.

Twelve recitation group chairs should be purchased for the primary room at the West School. These chairs will make it possible to hold recitations at the front of the room and provide more opportunity for seat work groups to work with a marked reduction in the destruction caused by a pupil reciting from his seat for a teacher who finds it necessary to hear the recitations over the heads of a seat work group. Ten of these chairs would be very useful in the primary room at the East School but the room is so over-crowded at present that there is not sufficient space to permit their use.

The following appropriations are requested and recommended by your superintending school committee for the fiscal year 1949-50:

Elementary education,	\$11,000.00
Books and supplies,	600.00
Music,	550.00
Secondary school tuition,	4,500.00
Repairs and insurance,	2,000.00

In closing, I wish to thank those whose co-operation has contributed to the success of the schools during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER T. PULSIFER,

Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

Elementary Schools

School	Grade 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12 Totals	Teacher
East Baldwin Primary,	5	10	8	4								27	Nellie Black
East Baldwin Grammar,					3	2	4	3				12	Gladys Cartret
North Baldwin,	4	6	2	1	1	2	3	1				20	Annette Symmes
West Baldwin Primary,	15	12	5	8								40	Louise Gray
West Baldwin Grammar,					6	8	5	6				25	Ida Ward
Totals,	24	28	15	13	10	12	12	10		Music		124	Flora Carpenter

High School

Receiving Town:

Sebago,		2	8	4	6	20	
Fryeburg,		1	2	2	3	8	
Standish,		1				1	
Portland,			1			1	
New Gloucester,							
Totals,		6	15	7	9	37	

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Resources

Amount raised by town,	\$12,880.00
Amount received from State school fund,	3,997.55
Amount received from ministerial fund,	100.00
	<hr/> \$16,977.55

Expenditures

Paid:

Teachers,	\$8,034.70
Fuel,	673.60
Janitor, cleaning and supplies,	1,360.74
Conveyance,	4,657.10
Elementary tuition,	260.00
Overdraft, 1947-1948,	126.27
	<hr/> \$15,112.41
Amount unexpended this year,	1,865.14
	<hr/> \$16,977.55

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Resources

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 3.53
Amount raised by town,	600.00
Amount received from State school fund,	400.00
Lights,	160.00
Received from the Baldwin school fund,	100.00
	<hr/> \$1,263.53

Expenditures

Paid:

For books and supplies,	\$908.20	
For lights,	152.40	
	<hr/>	\$1,060.60
Amount unexpended this year,		202.93
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		\$1,263.53

MUSIC**Resources**

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 7.14	
Amount raised by town,	550.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$707.14

Expenditures

Paid:

Flora Carpenter, teacher,	\$507.11	
For supplies,	30.68	
	<hr/>	\$537.79
Amount unexpended this year,		169.35
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		\$707.14

REPAIRS**Resources**

Amount unexpended last year,	\$503.84	
Amount raised by town,	650.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,153.84
Overdraft to balance,		95.56
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		\$1,249.40

Expenditures

Paid,	\$1,249.40	
	<hr/>	\$1,249.40

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Resources

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 173.04
Amount raised by town,	4,000.00
Amount received from State school fund,	1,000.00
Amount received from State Department of Health and Welfare,	149.25
	<hr/> \$5,322.29

Expenditures

Paid:

Fryeburg Academy, H. W.	
Hastings, treasurer,	\$1,410.75
Town of Sebago,	2,616.72
Town of New Gloucester,	62.50
Town of Standish,	416.67
City of Portland,	125.00
	<hr/> \$4,631.64
Amount unexpended this year,	690.65
	<hr/> \$5,322.29

REPAIR OF BURNELL SCHOOL

Amount raised by town,	\$1,000.00
	<hr/> \$1,000.00

Expenditures

None

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin:

I am pleased to submit my report as supervisor of music for the past year.

A five point program namely ; singing, playing, dancing, creating and listening is being carried out according to a progressive plan.

In the primary rooms with grades one through four, three divisions in music are made. The first grade work consists of rote songs, singing games and a program of rhythmic activities to include simple folk dancing. The program for the second grade is a continuation of this routine with the addition of activities in which the children are taught how to follow the words with the music. An excellent music book to teach this latter activity is "Peter Rabbit." It would be an additional aid if copies of this book could be obtained for use with the ones already on hand.

The curriculum for the third and fourth grades includes advanced training in following the words with the music, and vice versa. All of the work in the previous grades is directed towards preparing the pupil for the study of music theory which begins at this level. Reading music with syllables and pitch names, folk dancing and rhythmic drill are included in the schedule of instruction for these grades.

The grammar rooms, with grades five through eight, are in one division. Here, we aim at two and three part singing in which the pupils at the East and West schools are doing excellent work. Rhythmic activity and folk dancing are included in the schedule of instruction for these grades also.

The situation at North Baldwin School presents more or less of a problem, since it includes all grades; one through eight. Two divisions in music are made. Books Two and Five of the New Music Horizons are used to combine the grades in this building.

Christmas programs were presented in all schools and a Spring Festival of "Song and Dance" will be given at East Baldwin at the close of the spring term of school, with West, North and East schools participating. The Spring Festival last year was given at West Baldwin, out-of-doors. It was rated a success, both for production and finance. After expenses were paid, the money was divided between the three schools.

Each year, new books have been purchased to replace the old series and soon we hope to have a complete set of the New Music Horizons books for every pupil.

A group of pupils from the West School furnished musical selections at a Teachers' Club meeting of Union, No. 9, in January. Their performance was received with many words of praise and encouragement. The pupils at East School have been called upon for similar programs, and likewise have performed admirably.

To the teachers of Baldwin, I extend my sincere thanks for their fine co-operation, their interest and assistance which they gave me throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORA CARPENTER,

Supervisor of Music.

ANNUAL REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE, 1948

BALDWIN

Public health nursing is concerned with securing and maintaining better health for all members of the community, recognizing that whatever is done to assure physical and mental health during maternity, infancy, childhood, and youth, will affect the health of the adult population.

Child Health Conferences were held in Baldwin during the summer months with Dr. Paul Marston, the attending physician. Twenty-six infants and pre-school children received physical examinations. Nine were immunized against smallpox, four against diphtheria, two against whooping cough, and one against tetanus.

These conferences are held to help parents with better methods of child care and to provide for every child not under the care of a private physician. It seems that one of the objectives for the future might be working toward established monthly conferences where the children would be supplied continuous health supervision from birth to school age.

Home visits have been made to expectant mothers and infants to help with problems in child training and development. Visits were made to children with orthopedic handicaps and those with heart involvement to insure their receiving the specialized care which may be necessary.

Home visits were made to assist parents to secure competent medical care on health problems discussed at school.

Co-operation is the keynote essential to the co-ordination of the efforts of all concerned with community health. Only in this way can communities develop balanced programs of health education and health care.

It is hoped that during the coming year a Health Council may be formed in your town. Such a council would give advisory service to the public health nurse, supply the volunteer service for the health activities, and hold regular meetings to make plans for community health programs.

The success of the Child Health Conference this year is in great part due to the excellent Child Health Conference committee in Baldwin.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS,

Field Nurse,

Department of Health and Welfare.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

FISCAL YEAR, 1948-1949

Vital statistics:

Number of births recorded,	15
Number of marriages recorded,	12
Number of deaths recorded,	9

Dog tax account:

Collected and paid to State,	\$129.90
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Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

1948

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the fiscal year ended February 1, 1949, and submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedule reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the close of the year.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment.

Exhibit "B" Comparative Balance Sheets.

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations.

Exhibit "D" Analysis of General Revenue Fund Surplus.

Schedule 1 Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collector and selectmen of the Town of Baldwin for the fiscal year ended February 1, 1949, ascertained that all cash received by these officers has been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper, and made such other tests as we deemed necessary, without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at February 1, 1949, and the results of its operations for the fiscal year then ended.

Respectfully submitted,
GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE.
 By FRED R. GOULD,
 Certified Public Accountant.

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL REVENUE FUND SURPLUS

Year Ended February 1, 1949

Balance per audit report, February 10, 1948,	\$ 961.85
Deduct school funds,	561.28
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General revenue surplus, February 10, 1948,	\$1,523.13
Additions:	
Supplemental taxes prior years, \$ 52.00	
Additional taxes, 1948, in correction of assessments,	117.72
Excise tax, 1948,	1,253.50
Withholding tax,	23.90
	<hr/> 1,447.12
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	\$76.01
Deductions:	
Abatements,	\$ 128.88
Appropriations overexpended Exhibit "C",	1,951.39
Adjustment of overlay,	964.73
	<hr/> 3,045.00
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Balance, February 1, 1949,	\$3,121.01

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

February 1 and 10

Assets

	1949	1948
Cash,	\$3,417.13	\$4,970.79
Uncollected taxes,	1,504.21	2,801.27
Accounts receivable,	289.99	289.99
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Total assets,	5,211.33	8,062.05
Trust fund investments,	1,000.00	1,000.00
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$6,211.33	\$9,062.05

Liabilities

	1949	1948
Withholding tax,		\$ 23.90
Notes payable,	\$4,000.00	9,000.00
Reserves: School funds,	3,583.26	561.28
Excise tax, 1949,	749.08	
General revenue fund surplus,	3,121.01	1,523.13
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Total liabilities and surplus,	5,211.33	8,062.05
Trust fund principal,	1,000.00	1,000.00
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Total liabilities, surplus and trust fund principal,	\$6,211.33	\$9,062.05



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For the Fiscal Year ending

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

C. A. WOOD GEORGE L. STEVENS
WENDELL B. WIGGIN

Superintending School Committee

DOROTHY SMITH LESTER WOOD
ROSCOE SPENCER

Superintendent of Schools

WALTER PULSIFER

Treasurer and Tax Collector

JOHN O. SANBORN

Road Commissioners

J. HOWARD CARTRET LEONARD LOCKE
EVERETT DAVIS

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector

JOHN O. SANBORN

MEMBERS OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1950

PERCY BURNELL, Chairman
J. EVERETT RILEY, Secretary
ROLAND CHASE
MRS. HELEN FLINT
MRS. MURIEL HOYT
RAYMOND WOOD, JR.
MRS. ARVILLA WENTWORTH
EDWIN CRAWFORD
NORMAN McKENNEY

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of
Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 6th day of March, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, tax collector, constable, town clerk, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school buildings.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for textbooks and supplies in the school rooms.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for music in the schools.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for lights in the school rooms.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944, as amended.

Art. 15. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to make any arrangements, and what, in regard to snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the William Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 21. To see whether or not the town will vote to enter into a contract with Central Maine Power Co. for a term of ten (10) years, whereby, in consideration of the furnishing of street lighting service to the town during the term of said contract, all as more fully set forth in the contract, copy of which has been presented to this meeting, the town will pay for such street lighting service in accordance with the company's municipal street lighting rate-contract basis.

Art. 22. To see what action the town will take with reference to authorizing the selectmen to execute and deliver the contract referred to in the preceding article.

Art. 23. To see what action the town will take with reference to raising the necessary money to cover the street lighting service.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified public accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1950 taxes.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes.

Art. 27. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for tar to put on Woods Mill Road and the Library Road.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate any money for the fire companies.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to take out workmen's compensation and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the public library at East Baldwin.

Art. 33. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from any money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 35. To see what action the town will take in regard to a budget committee.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to pay part, or all, of R. F. Chase fire loan note amounting to \$3,000.00.

Art. 37. To see what action the town will take in regard to allowing the auto excise taxes to accumulate and be used as an emergency fund.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to end its fiscal year, in the future, on December 31.

Art. 39. To see what instruction the town wishes to give the State Highway Commission as concerns the relocation of the two monuments on the Pequawket Trail, namely, the Deacons Road slab and the first Church monument.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to instruct its selectmen to petition the State Highway Commission to relocate Trail 113 so as not to pass through West Baldwin Village.

Art. 41. To see what action the town will take in regard to allowing a discount on taxes if paid before September first of the year in which such taxes are assessed.

Art. 42. To see if the town will elect a building committee of five persons for one year without salary and with full power for proposed new school buildings.

Art. 43. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising money for consolidated school buildings.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 17th day of January, 1950.

C. A. WOOD,

GEORGE L. STEVENS,

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

The nine members of the town budget committee, with Percy Burnell, chairman, and Everett Riley, secretary, held meetings with the school committee, the road commissioners and the selectmen and after a study of the needs and finances recommended the following budget for 1950-1951.

Support of schools,	\$11,500.00
Repairs to school buildings,	500.00
Textbooks and supplies,	600.00
Music in the schools,	400.00
High school tuition,	2,300.00
Lights in school (included in support).	
Support of the poor,	2,500.00
Roads and bridges,	3,000.00
Miscellaneous,	1,600.00
Cutting bushes on town roads,	600.00
State aid construction,	1,066.00
Officers' compensation,	2,600.00
Snow removal,	4,000.00
Memorial Day,	75.00
Cemetery fund,	25.00
Street lights,	630.00
Town audit,	100.00
Interest on notes,	500.00
Tar for Woods Mill and Library Road,	300.00
State health nurse,	100.00
Workmen's compensation,	100.00
East Baldwin Library,	200.00
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Total appropriations,	\$32,696.00

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending January 17, 1950.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. WOOD,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
GEORGE L. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

A FEW WORDS FROM THE SELECTMEN

Sealed bids were received on the town farm timber. It was sold to John Kelley, who submitted the highest bid and he was allowed two years in which to cut the timber. Mr. Kelley agreed to pay for the timber weekly as it is cut.

A deed to the consolidated school lot, dated June 9, 1949, has been received from R. F. Chase and also one \$5,000.00 U. S. Government Bond to be applied to the consolidated school fund.

As will be noted elsewhere in this report, U. S. Government Bonds amounting to \$6,000.00 have been purchased with the money raised and allotted by the town for the consolidated school building.

Your selectmen have been unable to make a satisfactory sale of the Burnell school building. An offer of \$200.00 was received but was considered too low.

As this report goes to press the town office is in the process of being painted on the inside. The front foundation should be repaired as soon as weather permits. The building needs a coat of paint on the outside and the roof will need to be shingled in the near future.

A question was raised at one time as to how much timber was cut from the town farm for fire houses, the following are the approximate amounts:

West Baldwin Fire Co.,	12,000 board feet
East Baldwin Fire Co.,	10,000 board feet
North Baldwin Fire Co.,	10,000 board feet

A police patrol was organized and put into action during the summer months because of the many acts of breaking and entering and thievery from residences in the town of Baldwin. This patrol was instrumental in bringing several suspects to the attention of the authorities, some of whom were convicted.

The men on this patrol received no compensation for their services, but were paid for the mileage of their cars.

C. A. WOOD,

GEORGE L. STEVENS,

WENDELL B. WIGGIN.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1949 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1949

Real estate, non-resident,	\$450,821.00	
Personal estate, non-resident,	9,663.00	
Real estate, resident,	173,128.00	
Personal estate, resident,	30,844.00	
		—————\$664,456.00
Appropriated by town,		\$52,370.00
Used to work with due to error,	\$52,320.00	
State tax,	5,236.57	
County tax,	1,342.92	
Overlay,	103.20	
		—————\$59,002.69

Estimated excise tax,	\$1,253.48	
Poll taxes,	606.00	
		<hr/> 1,859.48
Committed to collector,		\$57,143.21
Property tax,	\$57,143.21	
Polls,	606.00	
		<hr/> \$57,749.21
Total committed to collector,		
Supplementary tax, \$51.60.		
Extra polls taxed, 13, \$39.00.		
Number polls taxed, 202.		
Number polls not taxed, 28.		
Rate of taxation, .086.		

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

43 horses,	\$2,795.00	
32 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	1,440.00	
143 milk cows,	7,865.00	
10 heifers, over 2 yrs. old,	300.00	
31 heifers, 18 mos. to 2 yrs. old,	775.00	
22 goats,	110.00	
4,830 domestic fowl,	3,864.00	
24,650 chicks to 2 mos. old,	1,972.00	
		<hr/> \$19,121.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 7,986.00
12 gasoline pumps,	840.00
2 portable mills,	1,000.00
278 M board feet lumber,	2,780.00
12 trailers,	4,325.00
31 musical instruments,	1,550.00
202 radios,	2,255.00
10 tractors, not excised,	350.00
1 airplane, not excised,	300.00
Railroad property,	1,125.00
Light & Power Company,	362,300.00

Saw mills, stationary,	1,250.00	
Lumber mill,	17,400.00	
Wood flour mill,	5,600.00	
	<hr/>	\$409,061.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

84 cattle, 18 mos. and younger,	\$1,680.00	
1 sheep,	20.00	
32 swine,	480.00	
2,606 domestic fowl,	2,084.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,264.00

ABATEMENTS

Frank Harding, exempt,	\$ 3.00	
David Libby, paid elsewhere,	3.86	
Mt. Etna Grange, exempt,	34.40	
West Baldwin Grange, exempt,	45.16	
Linwood Noble, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Lewis Riley, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Raymond Kennard, paid elsewhere,	3.43	
Albert Gould, paid elsewhere,	3.00	
Charles Cotton, over valued,	3.01	
Leon Cressey, unable to pay,	3.86	
	<hr/>	\$105.72

UNPAID TAXES

Unpaid taxes as of January 17,	
1950,	\$1,632.15
Paid after the books were closed,	652.63

Unpaid at the time reports went to print,	\$979.52
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Resident

Ralph Anderson,	\$ 34.40
Gardner Black,	53.34
Ernest Chadbourne,	3.00
Clifford Dow,	32.68
Harry Dyer,	15.90

Arthur E. Dyer,	119.98
Everett Emerson,	54.20
Percy Estes,	3.00
Donald Estes,	3.86
Elmer Fowler,	4.30
Percy Greenwood,	3.00
Charles Harrington,	5.16
Arthur Liberty,	.86
Victor Martin,	3.00
Ellsworth Moore,	7.74
J. M. Moore and Sophronia Spen- cer, Heirs of,	48.16
Merle Moore,	16.34
Joe Morton,	11.18
Kenneth Morrison,	3.00
Norman Pomeleau,	7.73
William Rich,	3.86
Edward Ribas,	76.54
Ruel J. Robbins,	11.60
Leander Rounds, Heirs of,	12.90
Herman Sanborn,	11.18
Myron L. Sanborn, Sr.,	111.80
Raymond Thombs,	3.00
Arthur Tufts,	61.50
Horace Walker,	27.96
William Walker,	6.88
Lloyd Wentworth,	3.00
Norman Whitney,	4.30
Hazen Wiley,	21.94
Kenneth Woodbury,	11.17
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	\$798.46

Non-Resident

Elsie Benson,	\$20.22
Lewis Brown, Heirs of,	12.04
Conley & Small,	54.18
John Fullerton,	18.50
Veta Gerber,	4.30
Raymond Gammon,	8.60

William Kenney,	8.60	
Katherine Martin,	25.80	
Deering Merrill, Heirs of,	5.16	
Morton Rowe, Heirs of,	8.60	
Charles W. Sanborn,	.86	
Edward Theriault, Heirs of,	14.20	
	<hr/>	\$181.06

HUNT ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$300.00
Everett Davis, commissioner and labor,	\$92.25	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	37.50	
Frank York, labor,	22.50	
Norman Murch, labor,	6.00	
Chester Decker, labor,	6.00	
Alton Thorne, labor,	16.50	
Eugene Thorne, labor,	16.50	
Harry Thorne, labor,	16.50	
Leonard Locke, truck and labor,	32.00	
Eddie Crawford, labor,	22.88	
Edward McNeil, labor,	6.00	
Wood's Garage, gasoline,	2.60	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	6.00	
Jesse Decker, labor,	12.75	
Ives Barriault, labor,	.75	
	<hr/>	296.73

Unexpended balance, Jan. 17,
1950, \$3.27

WOODS MILL ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$600.00
Howard Cartret, truck and labor,	\$110.00	
Norman Murch, labor,	41.25	
Frank York, labor,	20.25	
New England Asphalt and Tar Co.,	431.80	
	<hr/>	603.30
Overdraft,		\$3.30

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by town,		\$750.00
Everett Davis, commissioner and labor,	\$72.68	
Norman Murch, labor,	75.00	
Frank York, labor,	89.63	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	26.25	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	24.00	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	21.00	
W. H. Cram, labor,	31.50	
Jesse Decker, labor,	29.25	
Leonard Locke, commissioner and labor,	89.55	
Joe Stokes, labor,	53.25	
Edward McNeil, labor,	49.88	
Edgar Gordon, labor,	12.38	
Norman Murch, labor,	24.00	
		<hr/> 598.37
Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,		\$151.63

FRED HOWELL ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$500.00
State Highway Commission, shovel,	\$74.14	
Carroll Wadsworth, Jr., dozer and labor,	82.25	
Aubrey Edgecomb, labor,	8.25	
Manuel Stacey, labor,	33.00	
Raymond Wood, Jr., truck and labor,	33.00	
Fred Locke, truck and labor,	28.05	
Harvey Bliss, truck and labor,	28.05	
Cecil Gilpatrick, truck and labor,	28.05	
Vernon Wales, truck and labor,	28.05	
Paul Estes, truck and labor,	28.05	
Millard Watson, truck and labor,	28.05	
Leonard Locke, truck and labor,	25.98	

Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	9.00	
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	3.83	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	.75	
Edward McNeil, labor,	.75	
Mrs. Walter Sawyer, gravel,	42.80	
	<hr/>	482.05

Unexpended balance, Jan. 17,		
1950,		\$17.95

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Appropriated by town,		\$1,200.00
Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	\$475.26	
Norman Murch, labor,	49.50	
Eddie Crawford, labor,	9.38	
W. H. Cram, team and labor,	77.63	
Norman McKenney, truck and labor,	44.75	
J. D. Sampson, gas and oil,	20.56	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	185.67	
Walker Bros., gravel,	3.00	
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	1.10	
M. P. Fitch, rock pickers,	5.00	
Ives Barriault, labor,	5.29	
J. H. Murch, labor,	1.50	
Forest Thorne, labor,	4.50	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	36.00	
Frank York, labor,	111.30	
Norman Pomeleau, labor,	10.50	
Jesse Decker, labor,	81.77	
Wood's Garage, gas and oil,	21.32	
Paul Murch, labor,	7.13	
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	16.93	
	<hr/>	1,168.09

Unexpended balance, Jan. 17,		
1950,		\$31.91

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Appropriated by town,	\$1,200.00
Leonard Locke, commissioner and truck,	\$567.17
Joseph Stokes, labor,	206.29
Edward McNeil, labor,	196.91
Arthur Tufts, tractor,	15.93
Walter Poore, gravel,	9.40
John Kelley & Son, lumber,	55.39
Fred Locke, truck and labor,	16.88
Walter Page, bolts,	.30
Oren Moore, labor,	4.13
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	27.20
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	73.51
Albert Locke, labor,	2.50
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	35.57
Harvey Bliss, labor,	3.00
Mrs. Walter Sawyer, gravel,	1.40
Edgar Gordon, labor,	45.01
Chris Anderson, labor,	44.26
Merle Moore, labor,	4.13
Harry Wentworth, labor,	6.00
	<hr/> 1,314.98
Overdraft,	<hr/> \$114.98

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Appropriated by town,	\$1,200.00
Howard Cartret, commissioner and truck,	\$780.00
Stanley Graffam, labor,	26.25
Frank York, labor,	250.50
Norman Murch, labor,	204.00
Chester Decker, labor,	12.00
Raymond Wood, Jr., truck and labor,	14.00
Edwin Crawford, labor,	6.00
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	17.25

Everett Davis, truck and labor,	44.00	
Wood's Garage, gasoline,	5.99	
Ernest Warren, labor,	5.25	
Russell Hoyt, labor,	5.25	
	<hr/>	1,370.49
Overdraft,		<hr/> \$170.49

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Harvey Bliss, truck and labor,	\$73.95	
Harry Wadsworth, labor,	53.55	
Leonard Locke, truck and labor,	52.20	
Carroll Wadsworth, Jr., dozer and labor,	260.25	
Mrs. Walter Sawyer, gravel,	162.70	
State Highway Commission, shovel,	249.38	
Frank Merrifield, labor,	35.20	
John Atkinson, labor,	23.25	
Donald Estes, labor,	23.25	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	3.00	
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	21.75	
Paul Estes, truck and labor,	73.95	
Fred Locke, truck and labor,	73.95	
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	66.75	
Raymond Wood, Jr., truck and labor,	81.00	
Aubrey Edgecomb, labor,	29.75	
Manuel Stacey, truck and labor,	87.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,370.88
Unexpended balance, 1948,	\$ 8.99	
Apportioned by State,	1,255.81	
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Total fund,		\$1,264.80
Cost of road,	\$1,370.88	
Disallowance for gravel,	162.70	
	<hr/>	1,208.18
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Unexpended balance, 1949,		\$56.62

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Guy Wentworth, foreman,	\$143.00	
Clarence Stetson, labor,	97.50	
Ellsworth Libby, labor,	97.50	
W. F. Guptill, labor,	23.25	
Robert Guptill, labor,	62.00	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	55.50	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	87.00	
Fred Mason, labor,	96.00	
New England Asphalt & Tar Co.,	314.50	
Paul Estes, truck and labor,	67.20	
Donald Estes, labor,	18.00	
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	82.07	
Raymond Wood, Jr., truck and labor,	72.00	
Joseph Murch, labor,	12.00	
M. P. Fitch, dynamite,	15.20	
Frank York, labor,	12.00	
Harvey Bliss, truck and labor,	133.20	
John Atkinson, labor,	96.00	
Everett Davis, truck and labor,	336.65	
Leonard Locke, truck and labor,	323.85	
Fred Locke, truck and labor,	309.45	
Carroll Wadsworth, Jr., dozer and labor,	605.00	
Frank Merrifield, labor,	17.60	
E. R. and P. L. Walker, gravel,	153.20	
State Highway Commission, shovel,	896.37	
		<hr/> \$4,126.04
Appropriated by town,	\$1,066.00	
Received from State,	3,040.79	
		<hr/> 4,106.79
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Overdraft,		\$19.25

SNOW REMOVAL

W. B. Richardson, plow parts,	\$176.80
Howard Cartret, plowing and sanding,	490.88
Edward Anderson, labor,	3.00

Stanley Graffam, labor,	36.00
George Graffam, labor,	6.00
W. B. Tripp, stove for tractor house,	38.70
Fred Locke, labor,	11.25
Everett Davis, plowing, labor and truck,	589.43
Wendell Wiggin, labor,	22.00
Edwin Crawford, labor,	148.63
Frank York, labor,	107.65
Jesse Decker, labor,	80.27
J. D. Sampson, gas and oil,	80.57
Chester Decker, labor,	4.50
Norman Murch, labor,	61.39
Alfred Crawford, labor,	6.00
Herbert Brown, sand,	5.00
Norman McKenney, labor,	28.13
Raymond Thombs, labor,	18.75
Ralph Crawford, labor,	13.50
Roland Warren, labor,	4.50
Rodney Warren, labor,	4.50
Dyer-Knight Co., chains for Chevrolet,	34.41
Emery Waterhouse Co., chains for Chevrolet,	39.15
Congdon Transportation Co., express,	1.00
Raymond Wood, Jr., labor and truck,	46.00
Ernest Warren, labor,	17.25
Charlie Black, labor,	4.50
Walter Black, labor,	3.75
Russell Hoyt, labor,	3.00
Leonard Locke, labor and truck,	680.50
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	134.75
Harvey Bliss, labor,	65.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	125.65
George Wood, labor,	10.13
Edward McNeil, labor,	57.13
W. H. Cram, labor,	36.38
Merle Moore, labor,	3.75
Chris Anderson, labor,	34.25

Wood's Garage, plow and truck repairs,	933.73	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	98.13	
L. R. Burnell, gas and oil,	62.77	
Albert Locke, labor,	8.00	
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	342.80	
Fitch Lumber Co., sand,	18.60	
John Kelley, sand,	12.00	
State Highway Commission,	438.40	
	<hr/>	\$5,148.48
Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00	
Received from State,	1,830.75	
	<hr/>	5,830.75
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,		\$682.27

SNOW REMOVAL EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by town,		\$6,000.00
E. R. and P. L. Walker, Chevrolet truck,	\$4,519.99	
W. B. Richardson, plow,	2,000.00	
Emery Waterhouse Co., fire extinguisher,	18.00	
Montgomery Ward Co., tire exchange,	135.60	
	<hr/>	6,673.59
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Overdraft,		\$673.59

GENERAL RELIEF

Irving Spraker, supplies, Grover Thompson,	\$160.42
F. E. Wood & Sons, fuel, Wm. Rich,	60.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, fuel, Mrs. Judkins,	32.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, fuel, poor relief,	58.00
L. H. Chute, supplies, Wm. Rich,	45.75
L. H. Chute, supplies, Mrs. Judkins,	174.04

L. H. Chute, supplies, Charles Ward,	75.27
Mrs. Leslie Sanborn, board of Cook children,	498.00
H. F. Partridge, supplies, C. Harmon,	273.55
J. L. Chick, supplies, Mrs. Judkins,	68.25
J. L. Chick, supplies, Charles Ward,	73.68
Dr. Debiaso, medical services, Mrs. Joe Morton,	30.00
W. H. Page, supplies, Gardner Black,	224.55
W. H. Page, supplies, Linwood Noble,	15.00
W. H. Page, supplies, Wm. Walker,	149.83
W. H. Page, supplies, Norman Whit- ney,	60.04
W. H. Page, supplies, Leon Cressey,	103.33
Hamilton Funeral Home, Swasey Burnell,	25.00
F. G. Hodgdon, supplies, Leon Cressey,	3.65
Fred Usher, supplies, Leon Cressey,	430.03
Fred Usher, supplies, Wm. Walker,	9.99
Smith Clothing Co., supplies, Gard- ner Black,	14.83
Kenneth E. Dore, M. D., Leon Cressey,	58.75
Fred Locke, supplies, Leon Cressey,	17.31
Fred Locke, supplies, Donald Estes,	1.22
Fred Locke, supplies, Horace Walker,	10.00
Treasurer of State, town's share, re- lief,	127.90
R. J. Wood, supplies, Leon Cressey,	13.46
R. J. Wood, supplies, Joe Morton,	22.40
Maine General Hospital, Leon Cres- sey,	12.50
Maine General Hospital, Kathleen Haskell,	60.75
S. T. Oliver & Son, drugs, Leon Cressey,	2.00
Dr. E. A. Center, services, Mrs. Jud- kins,	66.50

Dr. E. A. Center, services, Grover Thompson,	55.00
Dr. E. A. Center, services, Gardner Black,	9.00
Dr. E. A. Center, services, Charles Ward,	75.00
Albert F. Ward, account tramps,	3.50
	<hr/> \$3,120.50
Appropriated by town,	\$2,500.00
Received from:	
Town of Windham, account Gardner Black,	228.84
Town of Brownfield, account Linwood Noble,	15.00
State, account Leon Cressey,	365.96
Fannie Burnell, account Swasey Burnell,	25.00
	<hr/> 3,134.80
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,	\$14.30

FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Paid to:	
East Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$500.00
West Baldwin Fire Co.,	500.00
North Baldwin Fire Co.,	500.00
	<hr/> \$1,500.00

TOWN OFFICE ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
Wood's Garage, lights and wiring, etc.,	\$38.59
Cornish Hardware Co., hardware,	3.20
Clara Anderson, cleaning,	22.50
Locke's Store, cleaning materials,	1.70
	<hr/> 65.99
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,	\$134.01
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MISCELLANEOUS

(Including Cemetery, Memorial Funds, Etc.)

Wendell Wiggin, telephone, mileage and postage,	\$101.61
U. S. Auto & Truck Guide,	5.00
Chester V. Small, printing town re- ports,	218.75
Chester V. Small, treasurer and col- lectors supplies,	17.50
C. A. Wood, mileage, telephone and office supplies,	63.66
Graffam's Accounting Service, audit,	100.00
S. W. Somers Co., treasurer's bond,	75.00
J. O. Sanborn, mileage and lien re- cording fees,	53.94
West Baldwin Cemetery Association (1948 and 1949),	50.00
East Baldwin Library Association,	200.00
Marks Printing House, office supplies,	40.35
Roxa Belle Palmer, real estate trans- fers,	12.00
Wm. Goodwin Post, American Legion,	100.00
George Sanborn, abatement,	4.68
Gerald Estes, fire patrol,	5.25
Raymond Murch, fire patrol,	45.00
Ralph Anderson, fire patrol,	6.00
Donald Estes, fire patrol,	5.25
Wood's Garage, grader and truck re- pairs,	63.57
Roland Graffam, fire patrol,	7.50
Stanley Graffam, fire patrol,	7.50
Town of Cornish, account fire,	58.50
R. F. Chase, interest on fire loan,	90.00
State Highway Commission, shovel rental,	6.74

Hay's Drug Store, small pox vaccine,	13.83
Ida Ward, recording tax liens, notary service, postage and telephone,	14.93
George Stevens, postage, telephone, mileage, etc.,	55.54
J. Everett Riley, insurance on trucks,	140.30
Alfred Jewell, police patrol,	240.69
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., office telephone,	26.70
Carroll Edward, police patrol,	53.40
Albert Locke, police patrol,	32.50
Sydney Bacheldor, legal advice,	5.00
Clarence Kaye, fuel for town office,	36.00
Roscoe Spencer, fire patrol,	12.00
Fred Howell, fire patrol,	27.00
Joe Greenwood, fire patrol,	12.00
Harvey Bliss, fire patrol,	35.00
Clarence Warren, fire patrol,	9.00
Lester Frazier, fire patrol,	35.00
Carroll Chase, fire patrol,	12.00
Edward Anderson, fire patrol,	29.00
Edward Anderson, fuel, town office,	3.00
Norman Whitney, fire patrol,	18.00
Leonard Locke, raising bridge on Kennard Road,	12.23
Everett Davis, raising bridge on Kennard Road,	6.80
Jesse Decker, raising bridge on Kennard Road,	6.00
Joseph Stokes, raising bridge on Kennard Road,	6.38
Edward McNeil, raising bridge on Kennard Road,	4.50
Elmer Black, locating town farm bounderies,	3.00
West Baldwin Grange, hall rent,	50.00
West Baldwin Grange, abatement,	45.16

Central Maine Power Co., lights, town office,	14.48	
Central Maine Power Co., lights, plow shed,	12.00	
Transferred to school account, mu- sic, to correct error,	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,359.24
Appropriated by town,	\$2,000.00	
Other appropriations:		
William Goodwin Post, American Legion,	100.00	
Cemetery Fund,	50.00	
Audit,	75.00	
East Baldwin Library Association,	200.00	
Interest on fire loans (from interest appropriation),	90.00	
Received from Donald Flint, use of State shovel,	6.74	
Public health nursing,	100.00	
	<hr/>	2,621.74
Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,		\$262.50

TOWN LIGHTS

Appropriated by town for street lights,	\$504.00
Central Maine Power Co., street lights,	\$504.00

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
J. Everett Riley,	130.24

Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,	\$69.76
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OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$3,000.00
Walter Pulsifer, superintendent of schools,	\$503.41

Edgar Gordon, health officer,	25.00	
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	6.00	
Frank Hodgdon, ballot clerk,	6.00	
George Stevens, selectman,	382.10	
Wendell B. Wiggin, selectman,	323.25	
C. A. Wood, selectman,	309.75	
Lester Wood, school committee,	50.00	
Dorothy Smith, school committee,	50.00	
Roscoe Spencer, school committee,	50.00	
Ida Ward, town clerk,	90.00	
J. Howard Cartret, constable,	7.60	
John O. Sanborn, collecting taxes,	561.56	
John O. Sanborn, treasurer,	200.00	
John O. Sanborn, collecting excise taxes,	48.00	
	<hr/>	2,612.67
Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,		\$387.33

REPORT OF THE FIRE COMPANIES

EAST BALDWIN

The East Baldwin Fire Co. was organized in April, 1948. With the money received from the town we were able to purchase a truck with a tank on it and have added a front end pump.

In the fall we built the fire house using the timber from the town farm, and with volunteer labor and gifts this was done with very little money. The lot was given by Mr. John E. Gunter.

We have bought several lengths of 1½ inch hose and four hundred feet of 2½ inch hose as well as various pieces of fire fighting equipment. The truck has been lettered and painted, as well as other improvements.

We have been called to several fires and have been exceptionally fortunate in getting them under control in a few minutes.

We deeply appreciate the help which the town gave us, which enabled us to get started. We hope in the near future to be self supporting and able to render a valuable service to the part of the town which we serve.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND J. WOOD, JR.,

Chief of East Baldwin

Volunteer Fire Co.

NORTH BALDWIN

The North Baldwin Volunteer Fire Co. has built a two story fire house 22' x 30'. Downstairs has a cement floor and houses the truck. Upstairs is a meeting room. The downstairs room is kept heated in the winter with an oil burning stove.

We have a 1946 Ford 1½ ton truck with a front end pump and an 850 gallon capacity water tank. We have 1,350 feet of 1½ inch hose with a choice of fog or straight nozzles.

We have a portable pump for woods fires and several Indian fire fighters.

We have a men's association with twenty-nine members and a women's auxiliary with twenty-nine members.

The women's auxiliary has been very active and has earned and turned over to the Fire Co. \$321.79 during the last year. This has been raised by suppers and fairs, etc.

Now we want to build hose racks, finish up the inside of the building upstairs, buy more fire fighting equipment, paint the truck, etc.

We have been fortunate in not having any local fires but have helped on the Sand Pond fire and two West Baldwin fires.

Women's auxiliary meetings are the second Tuesday evening of every month and the men's meetings are the third Monday evening of each month.

The money given the Company by the town was a great help and very much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

OFFICERS OF THE NORTH BALDWIN
VOLUNTEER FIRE CO.

WEST BALDWIN

The West Baldwin Volunteer Fire Company wish to thank you, one and all, for the co-operation you have given us, in the two years we have been in operation. You may well be proud of the three units you now have in town, namely the East, North and West Baldwin Companies.

During the past year we have attended nineteen fires, thirteen of which the truck was called out.

We hope to be of continued service to you, one and all, in the future.

Fraternally yours,

West Baldwin Volunteer Fire Company, Inc.

MURRAY S. MILLIKEN,
Chief.

WILLIAM B. ANDREWS,
Clerk.

NOTICE REGARDING FIRES

All persons are hereby warned not to build any outdoor fires without a permit from the town fire warden under a penalty of a fine of \$50.00 and costs.

Per order,
SELECTMEN OF BALDWIN.

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Louise Gray,	\$1,437.32
Nellie Black,	1,418.88
Gladys Cartret,	1,554.82
Annette Symmes,	1,437.32
Ida Ward,	1,437.32
Muriel Hoyt,	4.17
Collector of internal revenue,	522.30
Treasurer of State, T. R. F.,	416.37
	<hr/> \$8,228.50

MUSIC

Appropriated by town,	\$550.00
Used to work with due to error,	\$500.00
Received from State school fund,	100.00
Balance from 1949,	169.35
Transferred from miscellaneous account to correct error,	50.00
	<hr/> \$819.35
Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$507.02
Treasurer of State,	52.75
Silver Burdett Co., supplies,	7.62
	<hr/> 567.39
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,	\$251.96

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Cornish,	\$ 30.00
Town of Sebago,	150.00
	<hr/> \$180.00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriated by town,	\$4,500.00
Received from department of health and welfare,	150.00

Received from State school fund,	981.39
Balance from 1949,	690.65
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	\$6,322.04
Town of Standish,	\$ 600.00
Fryeburg Academy,	1,428.56
Town of Sebago,	2,425.00
Town of Cornish,	66.75
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	4,520.31
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,	\$1,801.73

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE

Chase Parker, carpentering,	\$ 57.30
Wood's Radio Shop,	1.85
Carroll Chase, carpentering,	247.51
Roland Chase, carpentering,	199.00
James F. Howe,	15.80
Beckley Cardy Co.,	54.75
Martha White,	1.35
Alton Goodwin, building supplies,	39.45
The Strout Co., hardware,	1.10
Royal Typewriter Co., typewriter re- pairs,	20.58
Stanley's Express, express on desks,	4.86
Chute's Express,	1.65
H. F. Partridge, hardware,	.50
J. L. Hammett Co.,	119.98
N. T. Fox Co., lumber, etc.,	116.31
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	551.25
Norton Hardware, hardware,	59.54
Loring, Short & Harmon,	75.19
Discount Martin,	10.00
Frank Bownes Co.,	10.58
Frank M. Brown Co., paint,	23.57
W. L. Blake, plumbing supplies,	16.50

Congdon Transportation Co., express,	.85	
Oxford Box Corp.,	33.42	
Town of Parsonsfield,	.90	
Clifton Whitney,	1.00	
Tropical Oil & Paint Co.,	7.89	
Kezar Falls Woolen Co.,	25.51	
Town of Cornish,	2.97	
Eastern Oil & Equipment Co.,	24.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,725.66
Overdraft from 1949,		95.56
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		\$1,821.22
Appropriated by town,		2,000.00
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,		\$178.78

CONVEYANCE

Ada McKenney,	\$1,201.39
Thelma Warren,	1,620.00
Lawrence Hoyt,	1,710.00
Arthur Richards,	175.00
J. Everett Riley, insurance on buses,	134.10
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	\$4,840.49

JANITOR AND CLEANING

Frank Wentworth,	\$460.00
Edgar Gordon,	44.00
H. F. Partridge, supplies,	4.15
Annette Symmes,	125.00
Martha White,	50.00
C. B. Doldge Co., supplies,	45.25
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	10.20
Ridlon's Drug Store, supplies,	.98
H. F. Bragdon Co., paint,	33.60
Glen Bobbin Co., supplies,	1.75
W. B. Andrews,	416.00

Genevieve Powers, cleaning,	30.25	
Elizabeth Mason, cleaning,	37.50	
Doris Cram, cleaning,	33.37	
Clara Anderson, cleaning,	44.70	
Elva Sanborn, cleaning,	35.46	
L. H. Chute, supplies,	1.35	
G. C. Coolbroth, supplies,	3.81	
Norton Hardware Co., supplies,	1.90	
J. J. Holcomb, supplies,	2.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,381.87

FUEL

Jewett & Gunter,	\$379.33	
Martha White,	1.00	
Kenneth Boothby,	43.50	
J. D. Sampson,	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$429.83

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Geographical Publishing Co.,	\$ 26.00
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	21.84
Walter Pulsifer, telephone and post- age,	33.73
Chester V. Small, printing,	15.04
Science Kit,	37.30
The Gralier Society,	45.00
Newsmap of the Week, Inc.,	50.07
J. L. Hammett Co.,	17.40
Scott Foresman Co.,	166.17
American Book Co.,	56.44
Allyn & Bacon Co.,	44.35
McCormick Mathers Co.,	9.89
Ginn & Co.,	118.17
World Book Co.,	10.44
Annette Symmes,	3.25
D. C. Heath Co.,	37.00
Edward E. Babb Co.,	22.52

A. B. Ryder & Association, X	3.95	
Rand & McNally Co.,	17.26	
Forum,	5.50	
Standard Duplicating Co.,	.46	
Macmillan Co.,	81.29	
Gledhill Bros.,	51.14	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	205.67	
The Papercrafters, Inc.,	3.45	
Field Enterprise, Inc.,	150.48	
American Educational Press,	17.50	
Beckley Cardy Co.,	3.28	
Laidlaw Bros.,	2.83	
	<hr/>	\$1,257.42
Appropriated by town,	\$600.00	
Received from State school fund,	800.00	
Balance from 1949,	202.93	
	<hr/>	1,602.93
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Unexpended balance, Jan. 17, 1950,		\$345.51

LIGHTS AND WATER

Central Maine Power Co.,	\$143.24	
Ada McKenney,	97.50	
Treasurer of State,	9.00	
	<hr/>	\$249.74

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL BUILDING FUND

Appropriated by town,	\$5,000.00	
Transferred from Burnell school re- pairs,	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,000.00
U. S. Government Bonds purchased in the name of the town,		\$6,000.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin

Year Ending January 17, 1950

John O. Sanborn, Treasurer

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1949,		\$ 3,417.13
1949 tax collected,	\$56,167.79	
Prior years taxes collected,	684.60	
Liens for 1948 taxes paid,	151.58	
1949 excise taxes collected,	1,619.43	
1950 excise taxes collected,	589.03	
		59,212.43
State grants:		
Schools,	\$5,721.46	
Highways,	6,071.72	
Health and welfare,	474.34	
Forest fires, refund,	147.75	
Telephone and telegraph tax,	29.34	
Dog tax refund,	17.43	
Bank stock tax,	18.71	
		12,480.75
Kezar Falls National Bank, loans,		20,000.00
Other receipts:		
U. S. Treasurer, interest on cemetery fund,	\$ 25.00	
Town of Cornish, refund, ac- count C. Foss,	80.06	
Town of Brownfield, refund, account L. Noble,	15.00	
Town of Windham, refund, account Gardner Black,	228.84	
Town of Parsonsfield, refund, account schools,	4.00	

R. C. Spencer, auctioneer's license,	2.00	
Donald Flint, rental power shovel,	6.74	
Fannie O. Burnell, refund for ambulance service for Swasey Burnell,	25.00	
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		\$95,496.95

Disbursements

Selectmen's warrants paid,	\$56,776.85	
Stamps and stamped envelopes bought,	53.74	
County tax paid,	1,342.92	
Kezar Falls National Bank, tem- porary loans paid,	20,000.00	
Interest on loans paid,	407.08	
Maud B. Locke, note paid,	1,000.00	
State tax paid,	5,236.57	
1948 dog tax deficiency,	3.20	
Cash on hand and on deposit,	10,676.59	
	<hr/>	\$95,496.95

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE, 1949

This year three Child Health Conferences have been held in your town. Forty-six children under six years of age were examined by the attending physician and twelve were immunized against small pox, ten against diphtheria, ten against whooping cough, and eleven against tetanus.

It has seemed that more interest was shown in the Child Health Conferences this summer. It is to be hoped that in the future a greater number of conferences may be held. This is one way of providing continuous health supervision for those children not under care of a private physician.

In March, the audiometer was used in the schools at which time 75 children from fourth grade through the eighth had their hearing tested. This machine is a more accurate way of testing hearing.

During the year home visits were made to expectant and new mothers to assist them in establishing a good daily routine.

Home visits were made to assist parents to secure competent medical care on health problems discussed at school.

Children with orthopedic or heart defects were visited in order to acquaint the family with the resources available and assist in interpreting the medical recommendations.

Without the aid of committee or health council the public health nurse is less able to give the direct professional service she alone can render. It is to be hoped that in the coming year such a committee may be formed, being composed of representatives of various groups. They could interpret the program to the community, give advisory service to the nurse, and supply volunteer service for the health activities.

I do wish to thank the Child Health Conference committee for their valuable assistance in arranging and assisting at the summer conferences. Perhaps this committee might be instrumental in starting a larger one which will envelope the entire program rather than just a part.

Respectfully submitted,
 ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS,
 Field Nurse,
 State Bureau of Health.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

FISCAL YEAR, 1949-1950

Vital statistics:

Number of births recorded,	16
Number of marriages recorded,	8
Number of deaths recorded,	15

Dog tax account:

Collected and paid to the State,	\$136.50
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Respectfully submitted,
 IDA F. WARD,
 Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin:

I hereby submit for your consideration my fourth annual report as superintendent of your schools.

There were no changes in the school faculty during the past year. At the East School Mrs. Black returned as teacher of the primary grades and Mrs. Cartret as teacher of the middle and upper grades. At the North School Mrs. Symmes returned as teacher of the primary grades; at West School Mrs. Gray returned as teacher of the primary grades and Mrs. Ward as teacher of the middle and upper grades. Mrs. Carpenter returned as music teacher.

The results from reducing the grades from eight to four at the North School by transporting the pupils in the upper grades to the East School were so successful that this arrangement is being continued this year. This regrouping has resulted in placing together children more similar in age and level and physical development. It provides the competition that children need from youngsters of their own age.

The Baldwin teachers attended an art course at the Cornish Town Hall during the hours of four to six and seven to ten o'clock in the afternoons and evenings of September 12, 13 and 14th. This course was conducted by the Binney Smith Company of New York City. Its purpose was to make it possible for the teachers to learn how to teach art techniques and the construction of visual aids which could be used to assist in the teaching of various subjects studied in the elementary grades of Union No. 9. By paying the registration fee of \$9.00 our teachers could secure one hour of college credit from the University of Maine extension division. This art course dealt with the following activities and topics.

ARTS AND SKILLS IN CRAFTS

Clayola—Figures, reliefs, modeling for crafts and correlations at different learning levels.

Paper Mache—Construction of figures, toys, displays, correlations. Methods of preparation.

Finger Paint—Techniques, creative design, correlations, design and use for crafts.

APPLIED TECHNIQUES

Crayola and Chalks—Strokes, blending, stencil, design, construction, methods, uses, correlations.

Painting, Water Colors (Opaque and Transparent)—Techniques, methods, mixing, blends, contrasts, correlations, application to crafts. Mounting exhibiting. Tempola crafts.

COMBINING THE SKILLS

Printing—Planning designs-transfer, cutting techniques, proofs, printing, block printing. Application to materials, poster work-book plates, favors, etc.

A set of World Book Encyclopaedia was placed in the West School and another in the East School for the use of grades 5-8 in each location. Additional copies of similar reference sets, such as Compton's Pictured Encyclopaedia and the junior set of the Encyclopaedia Britannica should be purchased at the rate of one set per year. This would even the financial strain and avoid the situation where all of the reference sets should be replaced in any one year. Lack of training and practice in the use of reference sets has been a serious deficiency in our school program throughout all the grades. This activity teaches and encourages the child to develop the habit of independent research. It can be developed into the habit of continuing one's education throughout the adult years. The present century of change is rapidly proving to us that our education should be continued after we leave school.

To consider that our education is over when we leave school means that we are content to be satisfied with partial returns in enjoyment and carrying out our duties to our families and our fellow citizens in our towns, county, state, nation and in world affairs.

I am happy to say that our teachers have definitely started to provide this type of training and education. Their ability to continue this program successfully depends upon the quality and amount of tools that are given them with which to do the job.

Two items of war surplus equipment were secured for the new consolidated school. A Remington typewriter, which was reconditioned at a small cost, was obtained for the use of the principal and the teachers. A large 65 cubic foot refrigerator was secured for the lunch program kitchen. It is complete with compressor and air circulator. A refrigerator of this size makes it possible to store and reduce the spoilage of surplus commodities such as fresh apples, cheese, butter and potatoes and still leave room for the usual items. The cost to the town for such items is whatever the charge is for trucking them either from the forts in Portland Harbor or the surplus warehouse of the State Department of Education in Augusta.

A serious need in our schools for some time has been the provision of organized instruction in a system of penmanship or handwriting which meets the present day needs. Several towns and cities in Maine are providing this instruction by hiring a part time supervisor from the Rinehart Functional Handwriting System of Waltham, Massachusetts. One of their district representatives is located at Biddeford, which would make it possible for Baldwin to receive this beneficial instruction at a reasonable cost.

The company furnishes the following materials at no extra charge.

1. Pupils' folder outlines.
2. Teachers' folders.

3. Monthly outlines for teachers.
4. Dexterity tests.
5. Room certificates.
6. Room diagnostic charts, monthly.
7. Room seals, monthly.
8. Monthly specimen envelopes.
9. Term specimen envelopes.
10. Monthly return envelopes.
11. Individual handwriting certificates for the highest pen and ink grade in which handwriting is taught.

SERVICE FURNISHED

1. Hold monthly teachers' meetings as needed.
2. Visit each classroom monthly for the purpose of:
 - (a) placing master copies on the blackboard; (b) grade informal handwriting at pupils' desks; (c) give general instruction and individual help as time permits and the occasion demands.

Visits are made for not less than 20 minutes per room each month.

Through the generosity of one of Baldwin's native sons, Dr. Richard Chase, the site for the new consolidated school has been partially cleared and initial steps taken to grade it for the foundation. If this grading and the plans for the new section of State highway construction which will pass by this lot could be co-ordinated, it would help greatly to increase the attractiveness and the usefulness of the school site.

If a building committee could be appointed, they could study the advantages and disadvantages of existing buildings by visiting them; and after a study of the needs of Baldwin, be prepared to make a well thought-out set of recommendations to the town. The new Naples Consolidated School has a well planned type of classroom. The new Farmingdale School has a plan which could be studied as an example of what

a school building like the Naples Consolidated School could be eventually expanded into.

Several improvements and changes were made in the existing buildings and the equipment during the past year. A cottage type bulkhead with doors which swing out was constructed as an emergency exit and entrance at the West School. It provides a second exit from the lunch room in case of fire. As a service entrance it makes it possible to deliver supplies and equipment to the lunch program without disturbing the classroom activities.

Book shelves and additional bulletin boards were constructed at the West School in both the primary and upper grades rooms. These shelves permit the display of and make reference books easily available to the children who are being taught to work with a minimum of help from each other and the teacher. The bulletin boards make it possible to display the children's work, to encourage not only the owner of the displayed material but his fellow pupils to improve upon the same.

The Parent-Teacher Associations of East and West continue to do an excellent job in conducting and improving the school lunch program. At the East School they have hung curtains to exclude the dust from the wood pile and the remainder of the basement. At the West School they have installed an hot water tank and a double white enamelled sink, complete with a mixing faucet and drain boards in the lunch room kitchen.

Electric clocks have been placed in every classroom. An accurate clock is very helpful in adhering to the daily time schedule for classwork. These clocks can be transferred to the new school, when it is built. Iron clean outs have been installed in the chimneys at West and East Schools. All chimneys were cleaned out by the brick mason.

The insurance carried on your school buildings is shown in a table to give the present arrangements in a concise statement.

Building	Valuation		Total Valuation	Net Premium	Expiration Date
	Bldg.	Contents			
East,	\$ 6,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$262.50	Apr. 13, 1952
North,	1,600.00	400.00	2,000.00	30.00	Apr. 13, 1950
West,	6,000.00	1,000.00	7,000.00	262.50	Apr. 13, 1952
Totals,	\$13,600.00	\$2,400.00	\$16,000.00	\$555.00	

There is also a liability policy which covers accidents resulting in bodily injury. The limits are \$5,000.00 coverage for each person and \$10,000.00 for any one accident. The premium for this is \$30.00 per year. The insurance agent has informed me that this policy can be written only for one year at a time. The liability policy and the insurance requests include the cost of their renewal.

Desk and chair combinations were purchased this past year to replace the least serviceable of the available units. Group recitation chairs were purchased for the primary room at the West School. This type of equipment is needed in the primary room at the East School but lack of room prevents its use.

The financial report has several features which should be called to your attention. In the balance in the elementary school account, there are four contingent accounts. One of the teachers has requested that her salary be paid on the basis of 52 weeks rather than the usual 36 week plan. Should this teacher elect to revert to the 36 week plan there would be due her \$261.63, which she has already earned, on the next payroll after the request was received. There is also a total of \$37.80 in Federal taxes and \$37.92 teacher retirement funds which have been withheld and are due for the month of January.

In addition to the foregoing, there is a reserve fund of \$425.00 held out for sick leave and emergency leave payments for the teaching staff. These payments are based upon sick leave of 10 days in any one year and limited to a cumulative total of 20 days in 2 years or

more thereafter. The emergency leave is set up for death in the immediate family of the teacher. This plan prevents a teacher from feeling compelled to teach, because of loss of pay, when she has an infectious illness or when a member of her immediate family is seriously ill. Up to the present time the teaching staff has been free from illness and has been fortunate in not being eligible to use the emergency leave benefit. Our Baldwin teachers take pride in the fact that this privilege has not been used to date and that this record is being jealously guarded.

These contingent funds total \$762.35, which when subtracted from the gross balance of \$1,244.78, leave a net balance of \$482.43.

There are also outstanding orders against the books and supplies balance.

There are outstanding bills of approximately \$38.00 against the balance in the repair and insurance accounts.

The high school tuition account has a large balance because certain schools which high school students from Baldwin attend did not raise their tuition rates to the legal maximum they are entitled to charge under the new legislation passed by the 94th legislature. Had they done so, this account would have been overdrafted by approximately \$90.00. The present budget assumes that these schools will not raise their rates next year. If they do increase their tuition rates and the number of students from Baldwin remains the same or the number increases, then more money would be needed for high school tuition than is asked for in the budget for the fiscal year 1950-51.

The total budget requests for 1950-51 are \$1,450.00 less than last year.

Some of the repair and renovation and insurance needs which should be considered for the fiscal year 1950-1951 are:

1. One coat of outside paint on the exterior of the West School.
2. Portable chalkboard for the North School.
3. Renewal of expiring fire and accident insurance policies.
4. Bulletin boards for the North School.
5. Moveable furniture for the grammar grades.
6. Window screens for all the schools.
7. Storm windows for all the schools.
8. Additional fluorescent light in lunchroom at West School.
9. Sand table in primary room at the West School.
10. Service the heating plants and toilets for the school year 1950-51.
11. Erection of flagpole at the North School.

The following appropriations are requested and recommended by your superintending school committee for the fiscal year 1950-51.

Elementary schools,	\$12,800.00
Books and supplies,	600.00
Music,	500.00
High school tuition,	2,300.00
Repairs and insurance,	1,000.00

In closing, I wish to thank those whose co-operation has contributed to the success of the schools during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER T. PULSIFER,

Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

Elementary Schools

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
East Primary,	8	5	6	7					26
East Grammar,					4	2	4	5	15
North Primary,	1	3	6	2					12
West Primary,	7	9	10	5					31
West Grammar,					8	6	7	3	24
Totals,	16	17	22	14	12	8	11	8	108

TEACHERS

East Primary—Nellie Black.
 East Grammar—Gladys Cartret.
 North Primary—Annette Symmes.
 West Primary—Louise Gray.
 West Grammar—Ida Ward.
 Music—Flora Carpenter.

High School

Receiving Town	Grades	9	10	11	12	Totals
Fryeburg,		4	1	1	3	9
Sebago,		3	3	7	4	17
Standish,		1	3	1	1	6
Cornish,		1				
Totals,		9	7	9	8	33

FINANCIAL REPORT**ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS****Resources**

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 1,865.14
Amount raised by town,	11,000.00
Amount received from State school fund,	3,640.07
Amount received from State for professional subsidy,	50.00
	<hr/> \$16,555.21

Expenditures

Paid:	
Teachers,	\$8,228.50
Fuel,	429.83
Janitor, cleaning and supplies,	1,381.87
Conveyance,	4,840.49
Elementary tuition,	180.00
Lights and water,	249.74
	<hr/> \$15,310.43
Amount unexpended this year,	1,244.78
	<hr/> \$16,555.21

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES**Resources**

Amount unexpended last year,	\$202.93	
Amount raised by town,	600.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	800.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,602.93

Expenditures

Paid,	\$1,257.42	
Amount unexpended this year,	345.51	
	<hr/>	\$1,602.93

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE**Resources**

Amount raised by town,	\$2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,000.00

Expenditures

Paid:		
For repairs,	\$1,140.66	
For insurance,	585.00	
For overdraft, 1947-48,	95.56	
	<hr/>	\$1,821.22
Amount unexpended this year,	178.78	
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		\$2,000.00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Resources**

Amount unexpended last year,	\$ 690.65	
Amount raised by town,	4,500.00	
Amount received from State school fund,	981.39	
Amount received from department of health and welfare,	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,322.04

Expenditures

Paid:

Fryeburg Academy,	\$1,428.56	
Town of Sebago,	2,425.00	
Town of Cornish,	66.75	
Town of Standish,	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,520.31
Amount unexpended this year,		1,801.73
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		\$6,322.04

MUSIC**Resources**

Amount unexpended last year,	\$169.35	
Amount raised by town,	550.00	
Amount raised from State school fund,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$819.35

Expenditures

Paid:

Flora Carpenter, teacher,	\$559.77	
For supplies and tuning,	7.62	
	<hr/>	\$567.39
Amount unexpended this year,		251.96
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		\$819.35

SCHOOL BUILDING FUND**Resources**

Amount raised by town,	\$5,000.00	
Amount transferred from Burnell school repair fund,	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,000.00

Expenditures

Paid,	None
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REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, Superintending School Committee, and Citizens of Baldwin:

I am pleased to submit my report as supervisor of music for the past year.

Plans for the study of music in grades one through eight is very much in the same as of the previous year, namely; the five-point program, singing, dancing, playing, creating and listening.

The primary grades, one through four, have three divisions. The first, singing rote songs, singing games and simple folk dances. The second continues this work and in addition is given a music book and taught to follow the words along with the music, thus paving the way for reading readiness in the third division. The third division learns the song by rote, then taught to read and sing the same song by syllables and pitch names. They are also taught to recognize a few of the thirteen major keys.

Since North Baldwin has only the primary group, these children have the same divisions as I have previously mentioned and are doing the same work as the primary groups at East and West, because of more time being made available by transferring the older pupils to the East School.

The grammar rooms with grades five through eight are in one division. It is the aim of the music department to attain two and three part singing. This the pupils are doing. They are also preparing a note book on music theory. Rhythmics and folk dancing are in the schedule of instruction for these grades.

Christmas programs were given by the pupils. A Spring Festival of "Song and Dance" will be given at West Baldwin Grange Hall at the close of the spring

term of school, with East, North and West Schools participating. Having experienced chilling weather for the past two "Out-of-Doors" Festivals, it has been thought a wise plan to hold the festival this year indoors. The proceeds from these festivals, after expenses are paid, are divided between the three schools.

We hope to acquire a few more books this year to help complete the set of new Music Horizons books for every pupil.

Parents and friends of the pupils are cordially invited to visit the music classes at any time. Wednesday is my regular visitation day and I should be most happy to see you on that day.

To the teachers of Baldwin, I extend my sincere thanks for their fine co-operation, their interest and assistance with the work throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. FLORA R. CARPENTER,

Supervisor of Music.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

February 14, 1950.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the town of Baldwin for the period, February 1, 1949 to January 17, 1950, and submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedule reflecting the municipal operations for that period and the financial condition at January 17, 1950.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment.

Exhibit "B" Comparative Balance Sheets.

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations.

Exhibit "D" Analysis of General Revenue Fund Surplus.

Schedule 1 Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collector, and selectmen of the town of Baldwin for the period, February 1, 1949 to January 17, 1950, ascertained that all cash received by these officers had been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper, and made such other tests as we deemed necessary, without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the town of Baldwin at January 17, 1950, and the results of its operations for the period then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE.

By FRED R. GOULD,

Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT "B"

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

Assets		
	Jan. 17, 1950	Feb. 1, 1949
Cash,	\$10,676.59	\$3,417.13
Uncollected taxes,	2,234.33	1,504.21
Accounts receivable,	86.14	289.99
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Total assets,	\$12,997.06	\$5,211.33
Trust fund investments,	1,500.00	1,000.00
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$14,497.06	\$6,211.33
Liabilities		
Notes payable,	\$ 3,000.00	\$4,000.00
Reserves:		
School funds,	9,573.51	3,583.26
Excise tax,	589.03	749.08
General revenue fund surplus,	165.48	3,121.01
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Total liabilities and surplus,	\$12,997.06	\$5,211.33
Trust fund principal,	1,500.00	1,000.00
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Total liabilities, surplus and trust fund principal,	\$14,497.06	\$6,211.33

EXHIBIT "D"

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL REVENUE FUND SURPLUS

Period Ended January 17, 1950

Balance, February 1, 1949,	\$3,121.01
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Additions:

Appropriations unexpended,		
Exhibit "C",	\$1,109.47	
Excise taxes, 1949,	2,368.51	
Accounts receivable, support of		
poor,	86.14	
Supplemental taxes, 1949,	90.60	
Reduction of notes payable,	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	4,654.72
Total,		<hr/> \$1,533.71

Deductions:

Abatements,	\$ 105.72	
Accounts receivable prior		
years,	289.99	
Appropriation in excess of		
commitment,	1,303.48	
	<hr/>	1,699.19

Balance, January 17, 1950,	\$165.48
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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
GEORGE L. STEVENS WENDELL B. WIGGIN
LINWOOD S. HOYT

Superintending School Committee
ROSCOE C. SPENCER J. CARROLL BABB
LESTER E. WOOD

Superintendent of Schools
LEWIS E. WEBBER

Treasurer and Tax Collector
JOHN O. SANBORN

Road Commissioners
LEONARD LOCKE RAYMOND WOOD
EVERETT DAVIS

Town Forest Fire Warden
ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards
MURRAY MILLIKEN RALPH IRISH
EDWIN CRAWFORD

Fence Viewers
GUY JONES NEIL WARREN

Health Officer
DR. PAUL C. MARSTON

Constable
J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector
JOHN O. SANBORN

MEMBERS OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1952

PERCY BURNELL, Chairman
J. EVERETT RILEY, Secretary
ROLAND B. CHASE
MRS. HELEN FLINT
MRS. MURIEL HOYT
RAYMOND L. WOOD
MRS. ARVILLA WENTWORTH
EDWIN CRAWFORD
NORMAN McKENNEY

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, required by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 3rd day of March, 1952, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors, and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways, and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944 as amended.

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 to improve the Wentworth Road, so called, leading from Harl Partridge's buildings to Prentiss Wentworth's.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified public accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1952 taxes.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding note.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service.

Art. 20. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate any money for the fire companies.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the public library at East Baldwin.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to co-operate with the Maine Forest Service and the Federal Government in control of white pine blister rust, in accordance with Revised Statutes, Chapter 32, Section 54.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for civilian defense.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay note of \$300.00 authorized by special town meeting for the building committee.

Art. 27. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to, or authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from any money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to have a town dump.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$250.00 for purchase of land and maintenance of a town dump.

Art. 31. To see what sum or sums the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay towards the cost of constructing and equipping the consolidated elementary school building mentioned in Article 7 of the warrant for the special town meeting held on May 28, 1951.

Art. 32. To see what sum or sums the town will vote to raise by borrowing to pay towards the cost of constructing and equipping said consolidated elementary school.

Art. 33. To see what action the town will take relative to authorizing its selectmen to negotiate a loan or loans for the sum the town voted to raise by borrowing in the preceding article.

(The recommendations in the next six articles have been approved by the budget committee.)

Art. 34. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.
(Recommendation: \$13,800.00.)

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment. (Recommendation: \$300.00.)

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school books and supplies. (Recommendation: \$700.00.)

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.
(Recommendation: \$4,200.00.)

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school lunch programs. (Recommendation: \$375.00.)

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school insurance. (Recommendation: \$500.00.)

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for the adoption of the Rinehart Writing System in the schools.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to build a kitchen at the North Baldwin School.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 2nd day of February, 1952.

GEORGE L. STEVENS,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
LINWOOD S. HOYT,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

The town budget committee held its meeting in the town office with all members present, Percy Burnell, chairman, and Everett Riley, secretary. After hearing the reports of the town officials we make the following recommendations for the 1952 budget.

Support of schools,	\$13,800.00
Repairs and equipment,	300.00
Books and supplies,	700.00
High school tuition,	4,200.00
School lunch program,	375.00
Insurance on school buildings,	500.00
Support of poor,	2,500.00
Roads and bridges,	4,500.00
Miscellaneous,	1,500.00
Cutting bushes on highway,	750.00
State aid construction,	1,066.00
Officers' compensation,	2,500.00
Snow removal,	4,000.00
Memorial Day,	75.00
Cemetery fund,	25.00
Street lights,	556.50
Town audit,	180.00
Interest on notes,	450.00
State health nurse,	100.00
Workmen's compensation,	175.00
East Baldwin Library,	200.00
Loan authorized at special town meeting,	300.00
Fire companies,	1,200.00
Civilian defense,	100.00

\$40,052.50

It was voted to raise a sum of money to take care of all the overdrafts in the 1951 accounts, later we were informed by the selectmen that this was paid, from the emergency fund (excise tax accumulations). For this reason it was not included in our budget.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE L. STEVENS,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
LINWOOD S. HOYT,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1951 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1951

Real estate, resident,	\$184,135.00
Personal estate, resident,	43,157.00
Real estate, non-resident,	460,292.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	31,969.00
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Total valuation,	\$719,553.00
Appropriated by town,	\$47,931.00
State tax,	5,526.52
County tax,	1,569.72
Overlay,	1,703.54
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Committed to collector, in-	
cluding polls,	\$56,730.78
Excise tax collected,	2,888.96
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Total,	\$59,619.74
Extra polls taxed, 8, \$24.00.	
Number of polls taxed, 202.	
Number of polls not taxed, 50.	
Rate of taxation, .078.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

38 horses,	\$2,470.00
28 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	1,260.00
127 Milch cows,	6,985.00
9 heifers, 2 years old,	330.00
13 heifers, 18 months to 2 years,	335.00
20,350 chicks,	1,923.50
6,010 domestic fowl,	3,305.50
	<hr/> \$16,609.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

90 young stock, 18 months and younger,	\$1,800.00
9 sheep,	90.00
23 goats,	230.00
25 swine,	250.00
1,876 domestic fowl,	1,031.80
	<hr/> \$3,401.80

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 7,787.00
Logs,	2,460.00
Lumber,	37,435.00
Trailers,	3,300.00
Gasoline pumps,	985.00
Musical instruments,	2,550.00
Radios,	2,790.00
Tractors, not excised,	1,210.11
Railroad property,	1,100.00
Light and Power Co.,	363,241.00
Sawmills,	3,850.00
Woodworking mill,	20,900.00
Wood flour mill,	7,000.00
	<hr/> \$454,608.00

ABATEMENTS

Howard Cartret, error in taxes,	\$15.68
Orin Moore, paid elsewhere,	3.00
Leroy McLean, whereabouts unknown,	3.00
Etta York, veteran's widow,	17.55
Paul Estes, paid elsewhere,	3.00
Daniel Sanborn, paid elsewhere,	3.00
	<hr/> \$45.23

SUPPLEMENTARY TAXES

Fred Doughty, poll,	\$3.00	
Melvin M. Cook, poll,	3.00	
James Emery, poll,	3.00	
Richard A. Rounds, poll,	3.00	
Robert Welch, poll,	3.00	
Raymond Webber, poll,	3.00	
LaForrest Horton, poll,	3.00	
Joseph Dwyer, poll,	3.00	
Mrs. Willard Andrews, real estate,	5.86	
Joseph Morton, Heirs, real estate,	7.02	
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		\$36.88

UNPAID TAXES

Unpaid taxes as of December 31, 1951, \$2,283.75

Taxes unpaid when town reports went to print:

Resident

Ralph Anderson,	\$ 33.94
Lionel Blaise,	1.96
Gardner Black,	51.10
Yves Barriault,	9.64
Harry Dyer,	17.44
Arthur Dyer,	102.58
Arnold Day,	22.12
Rodney Eldridge,	4.68
Everett Emerson,	50.70
Donald Estes,	3.78
Earl Eastman,	3.78
Lester Frazier,	7.68
Walter S. Hoyt,	3.78
Lawrence Hoyt,	194.62
Charles Harrington,	4.68
Wilbur Harrington,	1.96
Kenneth Harrington,	.78
Raymond Kennard,	3.00
Thomas Keanny,	.40

Elizabeth Mason,	36.66
Ellsworth Moore,	5.74
Chester Noble,	4.96
Veikko Paapponen,	5.74
Norman Pomerleau,	4.68
Ruell Robbins,	15.48
Myron Leslie Sanborn,	95.44
Myron Leslie Sanborn, Jr.,	3.00
Raymond Thombs,	10.54
Arthur Tufts,	70.94
Glen Verrill,	31.38
Harry Walker,	6.52
Norman Whitney,	10.02
Lottie Wiley,	23.02
Hazen Wiley,	21.06
Harry Wilkes,	3.78
George Wood,	.78
Kenneth Woodbury,	10.80
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	\$879.16

Non-Resident

Elsie Benson,	\$21.06
John Fullerton,	17.56
Veta Gerber,	3.90
Mrs. Frederick Gardner,	29.36
John Jewell,	23.40
William Kenney, Heirs,	7.80
Leroy and Bessie Knowles,	30.00
Catherine Martin,	25.36
Joseph P. Martin,	15.60
Esther Crawford,	7.80
Edward Theriault, Heirs,	13.66
Joe Morton, Heirs,	7.02
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	\$202.52

Total,	\$1,081.68
Taxes received since December 31, 1951,	\$1,202.07

CUTTING BUSHES

Everett Davis, commissioner and labor,	\$125.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	45.00	
Jesse Decker, labor,	78.48	
John Crawford, labor,	61.88	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	15.77	
Frank York, labor,	11.25	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	45.09	
Jack Lawless, labor,	73.04	
Robert Bicknell, labor,	10.37	
Locke's Store, scythe stones,	.33	
Raymond Wood, commissioner,	48.00	
Raymond Wood, truck,	35.00	
The Strout Co., scythes,	10.30	
Carl Ridlon, labor,	49.81	
Carl Ridlon, truck,	22.50	
Percy Estes, labor,	49.81	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	49.81	
Edward McNeil, labor,	49.81	
Edgar Gordon, labor,	20.34	
L. Cotton & Son, scythes,	11.25	
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		\$812.84
Appropriated by the town,	\$600.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1951,	150.70	
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		750.70
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Overdraft December 31, 1951,		\$62.14

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Raymond Wood, commissioner,	\$161.00
Raymond Wood, truck,	329.30
John Crawford, labor,	71.76
Alfred Crawford, labor,	161.20
Frank York, labor,	131.26
Jesse Decker, labor,	46.48
Charles McAllister,	9.55
Carroll Wadsworth, Jr.,	9.00

George C. Dow, labor,	7.89
State highway commission,	13.48
Blue Rock Quarry, tar patch,	29.54
Perley Howard, labor,	41.25
Raymond Thombs, labor,	113.57
Carl Hawkins, labor,	13.13
New England Metal Culvert Co.,	154.80
The Strout Co.,	15.55
Herbert Buzzell, labor,	1.75
Joseph Beals, bulldozer,	22.00
	<hr/> \$1,347.15
Appropriated by the town,	1,200.00
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Overdraft December 31, 1951,	\$147.15

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Everett Davis, commissioner,	\$384.00
Everett Davis, truck,	241.36
Frank York, labor,	45.80
Carroll Babb, tractor,	21.00
Everett Perkins, labor,	4.50
Robert Bicknell, labor,	20.23
Arthur Dyer, team,	33.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	203.54
Prentiss Wentworth, team and labor,	30.75
Edson Stacy, labor,	3.00
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	238.22
William H. Cram, labor and team,	36.00
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	13.50
Alfred Crawford, labor,	67.64
Wood's Garage,	36.53
Jack Lawless, labor,	49.96
Edwin Crawford, labor,	12.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	40.35
Walker Bros., gravel,	6.50
Carl Hawkins, labor,	3.00
M. P. Fitch, supplies,	11.90

Herbert Brown, gravel,	10.35
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	74.55
Frank York, gravel,	1.50
	<hr/> \$1,589.18
Appropriated by the town,	1,200.00

Overdraft December 31, 1951, \$389.18

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Leonard Locke, commissioner,	\$264.50
Leonard Locke, truck,	280.76
Joseph Stokes, labor,	219.84
Percy Estes, labor,	205.88
Edward McNeil, labor,	196.86
M. P. Fitch, shovels,	4.00
Donald Estes, labor,	148.88
Albert Locke, labor,	14.00
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	2.00
John Kelly, lumber,	18.60
Fred Locke, labor,	3.32
Harvey Bliss, labor,	53.54
Everett Davis, labor,	8.00
Everett Davis, truck,	10.00
John Crawford, labor,	6.64
Merle Moore, labor,	50.22
Oxford Box Corp.,	5.20
Harvey Bliss, truck,	55.00
	<hr/> \$1,547.24
Appropriated by the town,	1,200.00

Overdraft December 31, 1951, \$347.24

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Frank Merrifield, foreman,	\$209.95
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	434.41
Norman Whitney, labor,	48.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	128.70
The Barrett Co., tar,	314.50
Frank York, labor,	98.08
John Crawford, labor,	128.70

Everett Davis, truck driver,	127.20
Everett Davis, truck,	246.60
Leonard Locke, truck driver,	76.35
Leonard Locke, truck,	145.80
Ralph Roberts, bulldozer operator,	97.28
Fred Locke, truck driver,	44.68
Fred Locke, truck,	98.10
M. P. Fitch, dynamite,	13.70
Willis Harmon, truck,	110.25
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	343.20
Willis Harmon, compressor,	20.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	381.32
Willis Harmon, shovel operator,	151.30
Harry Roberts, truck driver,	45.84
Raymond Wood, truck,	81.00
Raymond Wood, truck driver,	28.60
Carroll Babb, land damage and labor,	30.81
Albion Mason, labor,	30.42
The Strout Co., cement,	4.40
Chase Parker, labor,	2.50
Donald Estes, labor,	10.79
Alfred Crawford, labor,	14.11
John Shaw, labor,	6.64
Wood's Garage, repairs,	5.00
Town of Sebago, sand,	3.60
Frank York, gravel,	212.90
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	16.50
	<hr/> \$3,711.23

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,066.00
Received from the State,	2,534.11
Received from J. C. Babb, tarring his driveway,	25.00
	<hr/> 3,625.11

Overdraft December 31, 1951, \$86.12

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Frank Merrifield, foreman,	\$ 83.70
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	96.11

Frank York, labor,	26.56	
Donald Estes, labor,	18.26	
Ralph Roberts, bulldozer,	61.48	
John Crawford, labor,	56.44	
Jesse Decker, labor,	53.95	
Everett Davis, truck,	97.20	
Harry Roberts, labor,	33.62	
Everett Davis, labor,	55.61	
Leonard Locke, truck,	41.40	
Leonard Locke, labor,	19.09	
Fred Locke, truck,	36.00	
Raymond Wood, truck,	11.25	
Willis Harmon, truck,	91.13	
Willis Harmon, shovel operator,	92.95	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	2.49	
Fred Locke, labor,	16.60	
Raymond Wood, labor,	4.15	
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	206.70	
Willis Harmon, shovel,	220.48	
William Sargent, labor,	2.49	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	7.47	
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Cost of road, less gravel,		\$1,335.13
Frank York, gravel, town's share of road cost,		87.80 •
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Cost of road,		\$1,422.93
Apportioned by the State,	\$1,293.60	
Balance January 1, 1951,	56.62	
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		1,350.22
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Net cost to the town,		\$72.71

BROWN NEIGHBORHOOD ROAD

Raymond Wood, commissioner,	\$ 63.50
Raymond Wood, truck,	87.75
Leonard Locke, labor,	41.00
Leonard Locke, truck,	39.60

Lawrence Hoyt, labor,	32.00
Avery Howard, labor,	12.00
Lewis Stevens, labor,	16.50
Edward Roberts, labor,	39.60
Gordon Brown, labor,	15.75
Gordon Brown, truck,	47.25
Percy Guptill, labor,	30.00
Russell Hoyt, labor,	48.84
Alfred Crawford, labor,	6.00
Chester Decker, labor,	21.38
Donald Estes, labor,	37.70
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	187.14
Willis Harmon, shovel,	123.54
Ralph Roberts, bulldozer operator,	33.00
Willis Harmon, shovel operator,	50.69
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	117.00
Harry Roberts, labor,	21.75
Willis Harmon, truck,	65.25
Fred Locke, labor,	44.34
Fred Locke, truck,	57.60
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	65.13
F. E. Wood & Sons, gravel,	86.40
Joseph Beals, bulldozer,	143.00
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Cost of road,	\$1,533.71
Appropriated by the town,	1,500.00
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Overdraft,	\$33.71

SNOW REMOVAL

Wood's Garage, repairs on trucks and plows, gas and oil,	\$ 746.87
Chute's Express,	.52
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	203.22
Everett Davis, commissioner and truck,	790.96
J. D. Sampson, gas and oil,	48.49

Robert Bicknell, labor,	11.39
Dorothy Spaulding, sand,	14.00
Locke's Store,	2.07
Edwin Crawford, labor,	193.62
Arthur Dyer, labor,	14.00
John Crawford, labor,	205.07
H. F. Partridge, gas,	3.38
Alfred Crawford, labor,	158.68
Frank York, labor,	156.01
The Strout Co., shovel,	1.45
Leonard Locke, commissioner and truck,	825.15
Fred Doughty, labor,	13.28
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	144.61
Ralph Crawford, labor,	96.81
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	4.50
Joseph Stokes, labor,	164.58
Fred Locke, labor,	83.50
Jack Lawless, labor,	19.91
Percy Estes, labor,	210.25
Edward McNeil, labor,	139.60
Raymond Wood, commissioner and truck,	1,121.76
Norman McKenney, truck,	13.52
Raymond Wood, gas and oil,	7.49
Merle Moore, labor,	48.59
Carroll Edwards, labor,	58.00
Avery Howard, labor,	7.88
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	10.40
Russell Hoyt, labor,	28.88
Lester Murch, labor,	5.39
Jesse Decker, labor,	86.12
Charles McAllister, labor,	56.46
Arthur Hoyt, labor,	2.25
Roland Graffam, labor,	3.38
Files & O'Keefe,	2.50
Montgomery Ward & Co., chains,	23.49
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	432.25

John Kelley, lumber,	5.76
Perley Howard, labor,	24.75
W. B. Richardson, cutting edges,	75.40
Treasurer of State,	438.40
Town of Sebago, sand,	19.20
W. H. Cram, labor,	3.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	58.93
Harvey Bliss, labor,	102.13
	<hr/> \$6,887.85
Appropriated by the town,	\$4,000.00
Received by the State,	1,571.50
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	490.09
	<hr/> 6,061.59
Overdraft December 31, 1951,	<hr/> \$826.26

GENERAL RELIEF

Case No. 1, doctor,	\$ 15.00
Clarence Harmon, supplies,	59.23
Minnie Judkins, supplies and doctor,	235.95
Cook children, board,	4.00
Gardiner Black, supplies,	319.24
Case No. 2, doctor,	35.25
Charles Ward, supplies and doctor,	299.01
Ellsworth Moore, supplies,	29.95
Case No. 3, supplies,	6.14
Harry Walker, supplies, doctor, hos- pital,	1,043.41
Town's share of aid to dependent chil- dren, seven cases,	1,043.79
Leander Hamilton, Case No. 4,	25.00
Case No. 5, hospital,	135.39
Case No. 6, doctor,	15.00
Case No. 7, fuel,	14.00
Raymond Murch, hospital and doctor,	250.00
Norman Whitney, supplies and doctor,	96.90
Percy Estes, supplies,	50.29
William Walker, supplies and doctor,	280.93
Leon Cressey, supplies and doctor,	650.49

Chester Noble, supplies, doctor, hospital,	419.68	
	<hr/>	\$5,028.65
Appropriated by the town,	\$2,500.00	
Reimbursed from other towns, Windham and Brownfield,	692.43	
Due from same towns,	46.49	
Reimbursed from State,	1,554.06	
Due from State,—	139.84	
Received from Case No. 4,	25.00	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	129.03	
	<hr/>	5,086.85

Unexpended balance December 31, 1951, \$58.20

MISCELLANEOUS

Chester V. Small, town printing,	\$246.00
John O. Sanborn, telephone, mileage and treasurer's expenses,	55.76
Health Clinic, immunization and medicine,	51.70
Water analysis,	13.40
Roxa Belle Palmer, real estate transfers,	10.00
Treasurer's supplies,	40.06
Health officer,	8.00
Selectmen's supplies,	66.14
George L. Stevens, telephone, mileage, postage,	159.33
Wendell B. Wiggin, telephone, mileage, postage,	158.41
Linwood S. Hoyt, telephone, mileage, postage,	5.22
Nellie M. Cartret, right of way,	50.00
Plow shed lights,	11.90
Rent of Grange Hall,	50.00
Town office lights,	12.00
Town office phone,	66.63
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	126.20

Kezar Falls National Bank, safety deposit box,	4.80
Treasurer's bond,	75.00
U. S. Auto Guide,	13.00
Maine Municipal Association, membership, 1951,	35.00
Registry of Reeds, registering consolidated school lot deed,	1.00
Public Utilities Commission, erecting R. R. signs,	8.25
Culverts for Dr. Marston,	67.11
Annie Estes,	72.00
Rent, superintendent of schools' office,	18.00
Moving sand shed,	84.79
Corliss and Lane, legal advice, 1950 and 1951, also collecting tax liens,	190.00
Wood's Garage, repairing road equipment,	28.64
F. E. Wood and Sons, clearing dumps,	29.00
Town clerk, supplies, telephone and postage,	19.40
Leonard Locke, fire patrol,	9.50
Harvey Bliss, fire patrol,	9.50
Harvey Bliss, fire patrol,	6.64
Merle Moore, fire patrol,	6.64
Percy Estes, fire patrol,	6.64
Joseph Stokes, fire patrol,	6.64
Edward McNeil, fire patrol,	6.64
	<hr/> \$1,828.94
Appropriated by the town,	\$1,600.00
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	208.06
Received from Dr. Marston for culverts,	67.11
Received from Public Utilities Commission for erecting railroad signs,	8.25
Received from Annie Estes,	72.00
	<hr/> 1,955.42
Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,	<hr/> \$126.48

TOWN OFFICE ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$150.00
Unexpended December 31, 1951,	\$150.00

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Paid to North Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$333.33
Paid to East Baldwin Fire Co.,	333.33
Paid to West Baldwin Fire Co.,	333.33
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	\$ 999.99
Appropriated by the town,	1,000.00
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,	\$.01
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MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Paid Williams-Goodwin Post, A. L.,	\$75.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00

EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY

Paid East Baldwin Library Association,	\$200.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$200.00

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00

TOWN AUDIT

Paid Graffam's Accounting Service,	\$189.00
Appropriated by the town,	160.00
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Overdraft December 31, 1951,	\$29.00
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BROWN CEMETERY FUND

1 \$1,000.00 bond, U. S. States Government,	
21½ % interest, registered,	\$25.00
Paid to Ernest Bliss for upkeep of Brown Cemetery for 1951,	\$25.00

R. F. CHASE FIRE NOTE

Paid R. F. Chase for fire note,	\$2,000.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$2,000.00

INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Paid interest on all town notes,	\$597.33
Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Unexpended balance January 31, 1951,	132.50
	<hr/> 632.50
Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,	<hr/> \$35.17

NOTE, SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, DECEMBER, 1950, WASHOUT, POOR RELIEF, SCHOOLS

Selectmen authorized to hire \$6,250.00.	
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$6,250.00
Borrowed notes from Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$6,250.00

HEALTH NURSE

Paid treasurer, State of Maine,	\$100.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Atomic bomb pamphlets,	\$15.00
First aid kit and 3 stretchers,	56.40
Police badges,	13.50
Congdon Express,	.75
Alfred Jewell, director, mileage,	27.18
Bandages,	4.00
Whistles,	8.02
Chester Small, printing questionnaires,	3.25
Clinic,	12.22
Donald Flint, maps,	17.16
Civilian defense telephone,	52.48
	<hr/> \$209.96
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	181.88
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Overdraft December 31, 1951,	\$28.08

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE FUND

Ralph Flint, survey,	\$ 43.00	
A. E. Wentworth, labor,	6.00	
Sylvester Poor, engineering services at Baldwin Consolidated School lot,	180.32	
	<hr/>	\$229.32
Authorized to hire at special town meeting,		300.00
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,		\$70.68

STREET LIGHTS

Central Maine Power Co.,		\$630.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$630.00	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	73.50	
	<hr/>	703.50
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,		\$73.50

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

J. Everett Riley,	\$173.88
Appropriated by the town,	200.00
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,	\$26.12

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

John O. Sanborn, treasurer, tax col- lector and excise tax collector,	\$799.43
George L. Stevens, selectman,	450.00
Wendell B. Wiggin, selectman,	594.32
Linwood S. Hoyt, selectman,	75.00
Lewis E. Webber, superintendent of schools,	590.00
Roscoe C. Spencer, school committee,	50.00

J. Carroll Babb, school committee,	50.00	
Lester E. Wood, school committee,	50.00	
Ida Ward, town clerk,	90.00	
Dr. Paul C. Marston, health officer,	25.00	
J. Orman Sanborn, Jr., moderator,	10.00	
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	30.00	
Frank Hodgdon, ballot clerk,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,843.75
Appropriated by the town,	\$2,500.00	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	317.11	
	<hr/>	2,817.11
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Overdraft December 31, 1951,		\$26.64

SCHOOL REPORT

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Gladys Cartret,	\$1,495.36
Nellie Black,	1,575.19
Ida Ward,	1,522.29
Louise Gray,	1,480.79
Muriel Hoyt,	1,381.27
Alice Gray,	16.00
Treasurer of State, T. R. F.,	441.03
Collector of Internal Revenue,	730.10
	<hr/> \$8,642.03

MUSIC

Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	\$541.01
Arthur Stevens, tuning piano,	6.00
Silver, Burdett Co.,	38.09
	<hr/> \$585.10
Appropriated by the town,	\$775.00
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	23.67
	<hr/> 798.67

Unexpended balance December
31, 1951, \$213.57

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Paid town of Sebago, \$350.00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Standish,	\$ 399.95
Fryeburg Academy,	1,730.33
Town of Cornish,	26.90
Town of Sebago,	2,056.38
	<hr/> \$4,213.56
Appropriated by the town,	\$3,600.00
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	448.04
Received from the State school fund,	500.00
	<hr/> 4,548.04

Unexpended balance December
31, 1951, \$334.48

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE

Wood's Garage,	\$ 4.00	
The Strout Co.,	11.50	
Herbert Buzzell,	1.00	
Eastern Oil and Equipment Co.,	13.10	
Warren Martin,	3.15	
James Howe,	46.36	
Wood's Radio & Electrical Shop,	4.60	
F. E. Wood & Sons,	4.80	
Alice Wood,	1.25	
Smith Heating System,	9.39	
J. Everett Riley,	24.00	
Bailey's Store,	2.71	
Chase Parker,	27.40	
Town of Sebago,	8.00	
M. P. Fitch,	2.00	
Yves Barriault,	16.00	
Kimball Supply,	12.00	
Arundel Print Shop,	6.67	
	<hr/>	\$197.93
Appropriated by the town,	\$400.00	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	215.71	
Received from Bert Andrews, junk,	10.00	
	<hr/>	625.71
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,		\$427.78

CONVEYANCE

Ada McKenney,	\$1,440.00	
Thelma Warren,	1,633.50	
Lawrence Hoyt,	840.00	
Anita Eldridge,	581.40	
J. Everett Riley,	106.41	
Arthur Richards,	185.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,786.31

FUEL

Jewett & Gunter,	\$573.30	
Fred Robbins,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$574.30

JANITOR AND CLEANING

W. B. Andrews,	\$500.23	
Frank Wentworth,	432.91	
Roberta Murch,	110.00	
Martha White,	80.00	
Glen Bobbin Co.,	1.40	
C. B. Dolge Co.,	109.72	
J. L. Holcomb Co.,	25.10	
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.,	29.98	
Richard Buzzell,	2.50	
L. H. Chute,	1.39	
W. L. Blake,	1.18	
H. F. Partridge,	2.40	
Yves Barriault,	7.00	
Eva Hoyt,	53.00	
Edith Wiggin,	19.69	
Genevieve Powers,	19.69	
W. H. Page,	.87	
Etta Bliss,	16.50	
Winifred Bliss,	16.50	
Ruth Frazier,	16.50	
Bailey's Store,	7.96	
The Strout Co.,	.75	
Wood's Radio Shop,	1.80	
Carl Ridlon,	17.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,474.57

UTILITIES**School Lights, Water and Telephone**

Ada McKenney,	\$ 92.50	
Central Maine Power Co.,	180.21	
Lewis E. Webber,	21.04	
	<hr/>	\$293.75

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Chester Small,	\$ 9.55
Loring, Short & Harmon,	61.02
Gledhill Bros.,	11.69
A. B. Ryder Associates,	8.85
Science Kit,	33.95
Treasurer, State of Maine,	1.50
World Book Co.,	14.76
Lewis E. Webber,	33.70
Scott, Foresman Co.,	76.54
Lyons and Carnahan,	2.51
Portland Tinware Co.,	18.13
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	3.32
Eastern Fire Equipment Co.,	24.50
Cascade Paper Co.,	28.30
Lewis Historical Publishing Co.,	48.50
Maine Trading Co.,	42.60
Dennison Press,	2.91
Macmillan Co.,	3.13
Town of Sebago,	8.88
Field Enterprises,	66.36
Ginn and Co.,	154.52
California Teel Bureau,	1.69
Edward Babb Co.,	16.75
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	15.36
Arundel Print Shop,	1.26
Allyn & Bacon,	53.97
Ideal School Supply Co.,	1.71
Follette Publishing Co.,	2.67
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	4.81
McCormack-Mathers,	7.86
Philip Small,	7.01
Walter Carpenter,	2.00
American Education Press,	25.50
Papercrafters, Inc.,	54.58

Rand & McNally,	11.43	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	49.85	
	<hr/>	\$911.67
Appropriated by the town,	\$700.00	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1951,	115.02	
Received from the State school fund,	200.00	
	<hr/>	1,015.02
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,		\$103.35

SCHOOL LUNCH

Mrs. Olive Sanborn, cook, West School,	\$58.00	
Mrs. Eva Hoyt, cook, East School,	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$118.00
Appropriated by the town,		300.00
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1951,		\$182.00

REPORTS OF THE FIRE COMPANIES

NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.

Report from January 15, 1950, to January 26, 1951

March 4, 1951, appropriated by the town,	\$333.33	
Amount raised by the members,	533.26	
Unused balance of 1950,	63.31	
		<hr/> \$929.90
Necessary expenses:		
Fuel,	\$ 91.55	
Lights,	11.00	
Maintenance of equipment,	78.40	
Insurance on building,	14.40	
New equipment and improvements on building,	457.80	
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Total expenditures,	\$653.15	
Unused balance January 26, 1952,	276.75	
		<hr/> \$929.90

We are fortunate in not having many fires, although we have attended two. F. E. Wood & Sons and Yves Barriault's home, which we saved without much damage.

In the past two years we have acquired 100 feet of 2½ inch hose and 150 feet of 1½ inch double jacket, 1 new portable pump and necessary attachments.

We have also finished off the second story of the fire house with sheet rock.

We want to thank the town's inhabitants for their help.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBION H. MASON,
Secretary, North Baldwin
Volunteer Fire Co.

EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Report of Equipment at Fire House

Hose: 300 feet of 2½ inch, 600 feet of 1½ inch, 300 feet of 1½ inch new.

Indian tanks: 8.

Electric lanterns: 2.

Extension ladders: 1.

Rubber boots: 1 pair.

Portable pump: 1.

Chemical fire extinguisher: 1.

Fireman's axe and bar: 1.

First aid kit: 1.

Suction hose for portable pump: 1 length.

Suction hose for front end pump: 3 lengths.

Fire attended: Lester Wood's mill, Lewis Lumber Co., brush; called to North Baldwin. Stood by Sebago Forestry for a week while water tank was empty for painting.

Firemen's Report

January 1, 1951, balance on hand,	\$276.01
Received from town,	333.33
Dues received,	22.00
Received from Sebago Forestry,	50.00
Received from Sloane-Blabon,	50.00
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Total,	\$731.34

Paid Out:

Oil bills, Jewett & Gunter,	\$124.70
Insurance on equipment and building,	110.06
Gas, oil, and repairs on truck,	41.03
Siren for fire truck,	30.00

Fire hose,	224.37	
Firemen's badges,	12.30	820
Light bill,	12.00	60
Paint for fire house,	28.44	
Miscellaneous,	20.62	20
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Total expenses,		603.52
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Balance on hand January		
1, 1952,		\$127.82

WEST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.

Financial Standing

Fiscal Year	Town Treasurer	Donations	Activities	Dues and Collections from Members
1948	\$1,031.00	\$1,387.50	\$ 685.71	\$116.23
1949	397.74*			
1949	500.00	93.29	537.56	160.34
1950				
1950	200.00	53.00	312.40	141.10
1950	200.00	53.00	312.40	141.10
1951				
4-9-'51	333.33	32.81	326.11	118.20
1-1-'52				
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Received by treasurer,	\$2,462.07	\$1,566.60	\$1,861.78	\$535.87

* Sale of logs, town farm.

	Truck	Building	Mis- cellaneous
1948	\$1,115.31	\$2,154.94	\$ 282.36
1949			
1949	124.57	638.74	412.05
1950			
1950	84.30	60.00	251.03
1951			
4-9-'51	12.86	622.87	211.68
1-1-'52			
Amounts paid by treas- urer,	\$1,337.04	\$3,476.55	\$1,157.12
Reserved for floor,		91.03	
Total cost of building,		\$3,567.58	
Total receipts,			\$6,426.32
Total expenditures,			6,061.74
Cash on hand 1-1-'52,			\$364.58
Balance on bills payable,			585.00
Financial standing,			\$220.42

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD T. FLINT,

Treasurer.

Records of fires attended by the West Baldwin Volun-
teer Fire Co., Inc.:

1948

March 23—Residence of Loren Frost. Small shop.
(Building)

March 25—Residence of Haven Templeton. (Chim-
ney)

April 5—Harry Wilkes. (Grass)

April 22—Smut Street, East Baldwin. (Forest)

May 10—Percy Jackman. (Grass)

- May 11—Percy Jackman. (Grass)
- June 15—John Atkinson place. (Building)
- September 11—Residence of Gilpatrick, South Hiram.
(Building)
- November 25—Elmer Black. (Chimney)
- December 25—John Atkinson. (Chimney)

1949

- March 9—Alan McGowen. (Incinerator)
- March 31—Dr. Chase's lot. (Grass)
- April 10—Edmund Ribas. (Grass)
- April 12—John Atkinson. (Grass)
- July 2—Horace Walker. (Forest)
- July 5—Douglas Hill. (Grass, caused by lightning)
- August 8—Back of West Baldwin Church. (Forest)
- August 10—Mrs. Sarah Haley. (Forest, caused by lightning)
- August 11—Mrs. Sarah Haley. (Forest)
- August 11—Lester Frazier. (Forest)
- September 17 — Burnell neighborhood. (Truck owned by Ernest Crawford)
- September 27—East of Harry Ward's. (Short circuit in high voltage line)
- October 26—LeRoy Bliss. (Fire under auto of Elmer Weeman)
- November 23—Elmer Fowler. (Chimney)
- December 25—Margaret Jacobs. (Chimney)
- December 28—Clifford Dow. (Chimney)

1950

- January 10—Lewis Lumber Co., East Baldwin. (Motor short circuit)
- January 13—Leonard Locke. (Chimney)
- January 24—Elmer Fowler. (Chimney)
- March 27—Harold Estes. (Chimney)
- April 17—Mrs. Vena Mulhern. (Incinerator)
- April 19—On railroad, back of Donald Flint's. (Forest)

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May 11—John Atkinson. (Chimney)
May 11—John Atkinson. 2nd alarm.
May 22—LeRoy Knowles. (Grass)
May 25—LeRoy Knowles. (Forest)
October 12—Gardner Black. (Building)
December 22—Leonard Locke. (Chimney)

1951

January 9—Arthur Rowe, Sr. (Chimney)
February 7—Albert Locke. (Chimney)
February 9—Charles Yates, Sr. (Chimney)
February 17—Albert Locke. (Building)
June 9—Camp of John H. Crawford, Sr. (Building)
August 22—Mrs. Alma Usher. (Chimney)
October 23—Maurice Libby. (Forest)
November 21—Ralph W. Cram. (Chimney)
November 21—Ralph W. Cram. (Chimney). 2nd alarm.
December 12—Grammar school at West Baldwin.
(Broken high tension line)

1952

January 15—Lester Burnell. (Chimney)

This represents a total of 49 fires attended; which were classed as follows: Chimney, 19; Forest, 9; Grass, 8; Incinerator, 2; Auto, 2; Electrical, 3; Buildings, 6.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. ANDREWS,

Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin
Year Ending December 31, 1951
John O. Sanborn, Treasurer

Taxes:

Current year,	\$54,480.91	
Prior years,	1,399.26	
Excise taxes, 1951,	2,587.99	
Excise taxes, 1952,	300.97	
Washout loan per special town meeting,	6,250.00	
	—————	\$65,019.13

State grants:

School funds,	\$4,902.74	
Highways,	5,407.46	
Health and welfare,	1,554.06	
Bank stock tax,	12.07	
Railroad and telegraph tax,	32.19	
Dog tax refund,	45.00	
	—————	11,953.52

Other receipts:

Temporary loans,	\$20,000.00	
Interest, Brown Cemetery funds,	25.00	
Consolidated School funds,	1,168.01	
Support of poor and welfare other towns,	789.43	
Miscellaneous,	171.14	
	—————	22,153.58

Total receipts,	\$99,126.23	
Balance,	654.56	
Error in last year's balance,	64.03	
	—————	\$99,780.79

Disbursements:

Warrants 1 to 90,	\$89,501.41
School funds transferred,	930.51
School funds not deposited,	237.50
Cash on to balance,	9,111.37
	<hr/> \$99,780.79

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL FUND

December 31, 1951

Portland Savings Bank, Portland,	
Me.,	\$2,533.33
Maine Savings Bank, Portland, Me.,	4,368.90
Check not yet deposited,	237.50
	<hr/> \$ 7,139.73

Dr. Richard F. Chase, coupon	
bonds,	\$10,000.00
Town bonds, registered,	6,000.00
Town bonds, coupon,	9,000.00
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These bonds are all U. S. Govern-	
ment Bonds, 2½% interest,	25,000.00
	<hr/> \$32,139.73

ACCOUNTS HELD IN TRUST**Brown Cemetery Fund**

Brown Cemetery Fund: U. S. Savings Bond,	
Series G, 2½% interest,	\$1,000.00

Deacon's Fountain Fund

Town of Baldwin, Me., U. S. Savings Bond, Se-	
ries F, October 1, 1943, due in 12 years,	
not transferable,	\$500.00
Maine Savings Bank, Portland, Maine, cash,	147.01
	<hr/> \$647.01

All Consolidated School Bonds are in safety deposit box at Kezar Falls National Bank, said box not to be opened without two members of the Board of Selectmen and the Town Treasurer present. Keys are in the hands of the treasurer.

JOHN O. SANBORN,
Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE, 1951

BALDWIN

In considering the many factors that may contribute to the health of the community, it is essential to relate the health program to the needs of both children and adults. However, realizing that childhood is the active period in the developmental process both emotional and physical, more emphasis has been placed on work with children.

In June a community-wide immunization program was completed with the following number receiving protection:

Smallpox,	106
Diphtheria,	47
Whooping cough,	47
Tetanus,	47

Three Child Health Conferences for infant and pre-school children were held during the summer months with 37 children in attendance. Seven received protection against smallpox and eleven against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus. The importance of continuous medical supervision for infants and pre-schools is unquestioned and it is to be hoped that mothers are taking their babies to the family physician for general health supervision. Child Health Conferences the year round might solve this problem for some parents. It may be possible in the future to establish such a program.

Home visits have been made to expectant and new mothers to help the family to carry out specific medical advice as to maternal hygiene and infant care.

Visits have been made to homes of children with orthopedic or heart defects to acquaint the family with the resources available.

In some instances parents were referred to the Mental Hygiene Clinic for consultation regarding a recognized emotional problem existing within the home. During the past few years there has been a rapidly increasing recognition of problems of mental and emotional health. In the process of "growing up" it is necessary for a child to learn to get along with himself and others and we have learned that the relationships surrounding him have much to do with his emotional attitudes.

Plans for the coming year include audiometer testing in the schools. This machine for testing the hearing of the children is used every two years. This was used in your schools last year.

Health is one of the greatest of all needs and a good community health program is certainly desirable. However, co-operative planning is necessary to a well balanced program and we do need an organized group, representative of various sections here in Baldwin. An organized group of men and women in community health can do much toward promoting and improving it.

Let us hope that the coming year will see such a group active in your town.

I wish to thank the committee that has given their valuable assistance at those activities held and the town officials for their co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS, R.N.,

State Bureau of Health.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Fiscal Year 1950-1951

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State, \$144.50

VITAL STATISTICS

Number of births recorded, 16

Number of marriages recorded, 13

DEATHS

March 7, 1951, in Portland, Fred Levi Hunt.

April 5, 1951, in Augusta, Jessie May Christie.

April 13, 1951, in Portland, Infant Burnell.

April 26, 1951, in Baldwin, Sarah Sanborn Haley.

November 24, 1951, in Boston, Simon John Harding.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

(Fiscal Year Ending January 1, 1952)

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

It is a pleasure to submit my second annual report as your superintendent of schools and to discuss for you some of the problems and plans relating to the education of the youth of this community. The topics to receive consideration include the consolidated elementary school, personnel and school population data, school lunch programs, a writing system and budget information.

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

The action taken by the town at the annual meeting in 1951 seems to have been a mandate for positive steps to be taken towards the planning of a new elementary school. The building committee elected at that time consists of Donald T. Flint, chairman; Norman Berry, Fred Doughty, Gordon Milliken, Chase Parker, Harrison Wood and Roy Wood.

This group as a whole has spent considerable time and effort in trying to clarify the issues and make it possible for the town to take whatever further action it desires. Although there have been occasional setbacks it is my sincere belief that the evidence suggests that definite progress is being made. Among other things, the building committee has been in consultation with an architect and proposes to ask for bids in time to present a definite cost figure for you to consider at the 1952 annual town meeting. Meanwhile, the selectmen are wrestling with the legal entanglements which have arisen in connection with the proposed building site and it is hoped that those wrinkles will be ironed out in time for a definite statement when the March meeting convenes.

PERSONNEL AND ENROLLMENT

There were no faculty changes in Baldwin this year. All teachers received the same assignments as for the previous year with one minor exception: the North School houses grade five this year in addition to the first four grades. This move was necessitated because of the overcrowded conditions at the East School. The situation is still unsatisfactory and threatens to become even more serious. The congestion is readily explained by the enrollment increases during the past two years. In 1949 there were 108 pupils, whereas in 1950 there were 120, and this year there are 135.

The following chart shows pupil distribution and enrollment comparisons:

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS AS OF DECEMBER 1

	Grade								
Teacher	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Nellie Black,	7	10	8	6					31
Louise Gray,	7	7	7	7					28
Muriel Hoyt,	3	3	1	4	6				17
Gladys Cartret,					8	11	4	7	30
Ida Ward,					9	6	7	7	29
51-52 totals,	17	20	16	17	23	17	11	14	135
50-51 totals,	14	19	17	21	15	11	12	11	120

The next table shows comparisons in the number of high school tuition students over a two-year period. Inasmuch as the numbers fluctuate during the school year, the ones used are for the fall term in each case.

1950-51	School	1951-52
1	Cornish High School,	0
8	Fryeburg Academy,	10
17	Potter Academy,	10
6	Standish High School,	5
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32		25

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAMS

It was an important financial boost to these programs when the town appropriated \$300.00 to help defray the costs for cooks. Financial obligations beyond the appropriation are assumed by the P. T. A. groups representing the respective schools. The East School program is supervised by Mrs. Barbara Warren and the cook is Mrs. Eva Hoyt. At the West School, Mrs. Olive Brown is supervisor and Mrs. Olive Sanborn is cook.

The appropriation request for school lunches for next year has been increased to \$375.00. This will allow \$150.00 for each of the programs now in operation and will make \$75.00 available for the North School if one can be inaugurated there. Also, there is to be an article in the town warrant to construct kitchen facilities at the North School. Of course, the latter action will be unnecessary if the consolidated school building is given the green light.

I take this opportunity to express thanks and appreciation to those who give so generously of their time and effort to make the school lunch programs possible.

RINEHART WRITING SYSTEM

Another special article in the town warrant is a recommendation of \$350.00 for a writing system. To make a long story short, your support of such an appropriation would give the local schools the advantages of the services of a writing supervisor on a part time basis which larger school systems get with a full time instructor. I will risk your displeasure to the extent of predicting that if you vote for the Rinehart System to be started next September the results will be so satisfactory within six months that you will feel that the action was entirely justified. Further elaboration will be given at town meeting time if you so desire.

FINANCIAL REPORT AND BUDGET

A. To set the stage for a discussion of the town's school finances, the following actualities are called to your attention:

1. The expenses as listed in the town report are for the period from January 1, 1951, through December 31, 1951.

2. The unexpended balances as of December 31, 1951, have to be used to operate the schools for the period from January 1, 1952, through February 29, 1952. By the latter date, the balances appearing in the town report will have been depleted to a considerable extent.

3. The 1952 appropriation requests are to cover the school expenses for the period from March 1, 1952, through February 28, 1953.

B. The school budget for the ensuing year is based on estimated expenditures of \$19,925.00 for the elementary schools and \$5,650.00 for high school tuition. These figures represent a total cost of \$25,575.00, or an increase of approximately \$3,430.00 over last year. The increase is explained as follows:

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|---|-----------|
| 1. About \$600.00 for salary increases previously granted, but which will be reflected for a full year for the first time in next year's costs, | \$ 600.00 |
| 2. About \$250.00 for increased maintenance costs including fuel, utilities, janitors' supplies, and books and supplies, | 250.00 |
| 3. Insurance policies to be renewed, | 500.00 |
| 4. The repairs and equipment costs last year totaled the unusually low figure of about \$200.00; a \$400.00 increase is expected, | 400.00 |
| 5. School lunch programs will reflect a full year's cost for the first time next year, showing an increase of about | 250.00 |

6. High school tuition rates will be higher and we anticipate an increase in the number of students attending high school. This means about \$1,430.00 extra, 1,430.00
-
- \$3,430.00

C. This increased cost can be met by an appropriation increase of only \$600.00. This apparent discrepancy of nearly \$3,000.00 can be explained roughly as follows:

1. Part of last year's appropriation had to offset a deficit of about \$1,000.00 for the year previous to that. (See page 42, item 4a, of last year's town report.) None of this year's appropriation will have to be used in that manner, thus a net gain of approximately \$1,000.00 is in evidence.

2. The unexpended balance as of December 31, 1951, is about \$2,000.00 greater than the unexpended balance of December 31, 1950.

These two items, then, show why the town is asked to raise but \$600.00 more money even though anticipated costs are more than \$3,000 higher.

The appropriation requests showing comparisons over a three year period are itemized for your convenience as follows: (Note: for the ensuing year, the music appropriations are included in the amounts for maintenance and books and supplies.)

Account	50-51 Appropriation	51-52 Appropriation	52-53 Recommendations
Elementary maintenance,	\$12,100.00	\$13,500.00	\$13,800.00
Books and supplies,	600.00	700.00	700.00
Repairs and equipment,	500.00	400.00	300.00
Insurance,			500.00
Music,	400.00	775.00	
School lunches,		300.00	375.00
High school tuition,	2,300.00	3,600.00	4,200.00
Totals,	\$15,900.00	\$19,275.00	\$19,875.00
	(33 weeks)	(36 weeks)	(36 weeks)

Following this report you will find the financial report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1951, and the report of Mrs. Flora Carpenter, supervisor of music.

In behalf of all school personnel, I wish to express sincere thanks and appreciation to those Baldwin citizens who have co-operated in the efforts to provide better education for the children. Your interest and support lend invaluable encouragement as we pursue our work.

Most sincerely,

LEWIS E. WEBBER,

Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCIAL REPORT

BALDWIN SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Fiscal Year Ending January 1, 1952

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Resources

Unexpended last year,	\$ 2,179.48
1951 appropriation,	13,500.00
1951 State subsidy,	4,202.74
	<hr/> \$19,882.22

Expenses

Instruction,	\$ 8,642.03
Fuel,	574.30
Janitors, cleaning and supplies,	1,474.57
Conveyance,	4,786.31
Utilities,	293.75
Tuition,	350.00
	<hr/> \$16,120.96
Unexpended this year,	3,761.26
	<hr/> \$19,882.22

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Resources

Unexpended last year,	\$115.02
1951 appropriation,	700.00
1951 State subsidy,	200.00
	<hr/> \$1,015.02

Expenses

Paid for textbooks,	\$536.37
Paid for supplies,	375.30
	<hr/> \$911.67
Unexpended this year,	103.35
	<hr/> \$1,015.02

MUSIC Resources

Unexpended last year,	\$ 23.67	
1951 appropriation,	775.00	
	<hr/>	\$798.67

Expenses

Flora Carpenter, instructor,	\$541.01	
Books and supplies,	44.09	
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	\$585.10	
Unexpended this year,	213.57	
	<hr/>	\$798.67

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Resources

1951 appropriation,	\$300.00	
	<hr/>	\$300.00

Expenses

East Baldwin program,	\$ 60.00	
West Baldwin program,	58.00	
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	\$118.00	
Unexpended this year,	182.00	
	<hr/>	\$300.00

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE

Resources

Unexpended last year,	\$215.71	
1951 appropriation,	400.00	
W. B. Andrews, sale of scrap,	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$625.71

Expenses

Paid for repairs,	\$173.93	
Paid for insurance,	24.00	
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	\$197.93	
Unexpended this year,	427.78	
	<hr/>	\$625.71

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Resources

Unexpended last year,	\$ 448.04	
1951 appropriation,	3,600.00	
1951 State subsidy,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,548.04

Expenses

Fryeburg Academy,	\$1,730.33	
Town of Sebago,	2,056.38	
Town of Standish,	399.95	
Town of Cornish,	26.90	
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	\$4,213.56	
Unexpended this year,	334.48	
	<hr/>	\$4,548.04

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, Superintending School Committee, and Citizens of Baldwin:

I am pleased to submit my report as supervisor of music for the past year.

As in previous years, the five-point program, namely; singing, playing, dancing, creating and listening is being carried out, with one exception, according to a progressive plan.

Due to the crowded conditions at the East School, folk dancing activity has been omitted this year. We even lack sufficient room for the classes to march and this is considered a very important work in rhythmic study; however, this situation will be corrected with the new school "set-up", if and when it materializes.

In the primary rooms at the East, West, and North Schools, there are three classes in music. Grades one and two sing rote songs and learn to follow the words and music. Grades three and four learn to read music by pitch names and syllables.

The curriculum for the grammar grades include advanced training with syllables and the study of music theory. Two and three part music is being studied and sung by the pupils of the East and West Schools. They are doing very good work.

Last spring, a group of pupils from the East and West Schools attended the Western Maine Music Festival held in Portland, Maine, and sang three selections, doing a very commendable piece of work. It is our aim to enter a group again this year. The place, Lewiston, Maine, and the date May 3rd.

The matter of transportation is always a problem for groups. If parents and friends, having cars, would give the schools a lift, I'm sure it would be greatly appreciated and well worth one's time to attend one of these State Festivals.

Christmas programs and parties were given in all the schools. There will be other programs given at the end of the spring term.

New books have been purchased to complete sets of the New Music Horizons series and Community Song Books have been placed in the grammar rooms at East and West Schools.

The fine co-operation, interest and assistance which the teachers are giving, is very gratifying and I extend my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORA R. CARPENTER,

Supervisor of Music.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

January 23, 1952.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1951, and, submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedules reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the close of the year.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the Treasurer, Collector and Selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1951. We ascertained that all cash shown to have been received by these officials had been properly accounted for, that all disbursement appear to be proper and, made such other test as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Government Bonds in the amount of \$10,000.00 have been conditionally donated to the Town of Baldwin by Richard F. Chase.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements presents fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at December 31, 1951, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By FRED R. GOULD,

Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT "B"
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET
Years Ended December 31, 1951 and 1950
Assets

	December 31,	
	1951	1950
General fund:		
Cash,	\$ 9,112.90	\$ 656.09
Uncollected taxes,	3,397.47	2,151.41
Due from Consolidated School fund,	229.32	
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Total assets general fund,	\$12,739.69	\$ 2,807.50
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Trust funds invested:		
Consolidated Schools fund schedule (2),	\$32,139.73	\$20,971.72
Hannah Woodman fund,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Deacon's Fountain fund,	500.00	500.00
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	\$33,639.73	\$22,471.72
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$46,379.42	\$25,279.22
Liabilities and Reserves		
Liabilities:		
Notes payable,		\$ 2,000.00
Reserves:		
School funds,	\$ 5,022.44	2,732.67
Excise taxes (prepaid 1952),	300.97	357.14
General fund surplus,	7,416.28	2,282.31
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Total liabilities, reserves and surplus,	\$12,739.69	\$ 2,807.50
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Trust funds principal,	\$33,410.41	\$22,471.72
Trust funds due general fund,	229.32	
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Total liabilities, reserves, surplus and trust funds,	\$46,379.42	\$25,279.22

EXHIBIT "D"

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL REVENUE FUND SURPLUS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1951

Balance January 1, 1951,	\$2,282.31
Additions:	
Appropriations unexpended,	\$1,697.84
Reduction in notes payable,	2,000.00
Loan appropriated for by special meeting,	6,250.00
	<hr/> 9,947.84
	<hr/> \$7,665.53
Deductions:	
Adjustment of school balances prior years,	249.25
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Balance December 31, 1951 (Exhibit B),	\$7,416.28

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE Portland, Maine

Board of Selectmen,
Baldwin, Me.

Gentlemen:

Complying with Public Laws of Chapter 84, Section 119, we are mailing one copy of the audit report to the State Department of Audit, Division of Municipal Accounts, Augusta, Maine.

Very truly yours,

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By JAMES W. FOWLES, JR.

Chambers O'Brien
West Baltimore

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

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Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

WENDELL B. WIGGIN

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LEROY F. WOOD

Superintending School Committee

J. CARROLL BABB

LESTER E. WOOD

ROSCOE C. SPENCER

Superintendent of Schools

LEWIS E. WEBBER

Treasurer and Tax Collector

JOHN O. SANBORN

Road Commissioners

LOREN BURNELL, JR.

DENNIS SANBORN

EDWIN CRAWFORD

Town Forest Fire Warden

ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards

MURRAY MILLIKEN

EDWIN CRAWFORD

RALPH IRISH

Fence Viewers

GUY JONES

NEIL WARREN

Health Officer

DR. PAUL C. MARSTON

Constable

J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector

JOHN O. SANBORN.

MEMBERS OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1953

MRS. HELEN FLINT, Chairman
J. EVERETT RILEY, Secretary
CARROLL EDWARDS
GORDON MILLIKEN
RAYMOND L. WOOD
MRS. MURIEL HOYT
MRS. ARVILLA WENTWORTH
EDWIN CRAWFORD
NORMAN McKENNEY

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, our Constable of the Town of
Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, required by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, West Baldwin, in said town, on the 2nd day of March, 1953, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the reports of its selectmen, assessors, and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor. (Recommended by budget committee: \$2,500.00.)

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges. (Recommendation: \$4,500.00.)

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund. (Recommendation: \$1,500.00.)

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads. (Recommendation: \$500.00.)

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944 as amended. (Recommendation: \$1,066.00.)

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation. (Recommendation: \$3,000.00.)

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year. (Recommendation: \$5,000.00.)

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund. (Recommendation: \$75.00.)

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund. (Recommendation: \$25.00.)

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to apply against 1952 overdrafts. (Recommendation: \$1,000.00.)

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year. (Recommendation: \$630.00.)

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year. (Recommendation: \$200.00.)

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1953 taxes.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes. (Recommendation: \$1,100.00.)

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service. (Recommendation: \$100.00.)

Art. 20. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate any money for the fire companies. (Recommendation: \$1,200.00.)

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for the same. (Recommendation: \$300.00.)

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the public library at East Baldwin. (Recommendation: \$200.00.)

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to cooperate with the Maine Forest Service and the Federal Government in control of white pine blister rust, in accordance with Revised Statutes, Chapter 32, Section 54.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for civilian defense. (Recommendation: \$100.00.)

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay note of \$2,186.30 authorized by special town meeting for the roads and bridges and miscellaneous accounts. (Recommendation: \$2,186.30.)

Art. 27. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to or authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from any money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to charge 6% interest on tax liens.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for bulldozing on Ward's Hill road.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 to improve the road leading to Percy Robbins'.

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairing the West Baldwin cemetery fence damaged by snow removal equipment in winter of 1952.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair the heavy road machine.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to use the North Baldwin schoolhouse for a snow plow garage and raise and appropriate \$500.00 to remodel the same. (Recommendation: \$500.00.)

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for tarring Wood's Mill Road. (Recommendation: \$350.00.)

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the so-called New County Road from George Davis' to the Sebago line.

Art. 37. To see what the town wishes to do about disposing of the East, West, and Pigeon Brook school-houses.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for revaluing the town.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for annual payment on the school loan. (Recommendation: \$5,000.00.)

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote taken in 1947 town meeting to use the West Baldwin Grange Hall for town meetings.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to have town meetings in the future in the new Consolidated School Auditorium.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools. (Recommendation: \$16,000.00.)

Art. 43. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition. (Recommendation: \$4,200.00.)

Art. 44. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school books and supplies. (Recommendation: \$700.00.)

Art. 45. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment. (Recommendation: \$500.00.)

Art. 46. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school lunch program. (Recommendation: \$400.00 for ten weeks or \$1,500.00 for the school year.)

Art. 47. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school insurance. (Recommendation: \$750.00.)

Art. 48. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to continue the Rinehart Writing System, in the school program.

Art. 49. To see what action the town will take relative to defraying expenses incurred when non-school groups use the facilities of the Baldwin Consolidated School.

Art. 50. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate in support of the action taken in the preceding article.

Art. 51. To see if the town will vote to close the North, East, and West Baldwin schools.

Art. 52. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of folding chairs for the Baldwin Consolidated School Auditorium.

Art. 53. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the improvement of the grounds at the Baldwin Consolidated School.

Art. 54. To see if the town will vote to authorize the school committee to sell the surplus personal school property.

Art. 56. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to buy larger school buses.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 31st day of January, 1953.

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
LINWOOD S. HOYT,
LEROY F. WOOD,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF 1953 BUDGET COMMITTEE

Account	1952 Appropriation	Unexpended Dec. 31, 1952	Overdraft Dec. 31, 1953	Recommendations 1953
Support of poor,	\$ 2,500.00		\$ 615.29	\$ 2,500.00
Roads and bridges,	4,500.00	\$534.65		4,500.00
Miscellaneous,	1,500.00		68.96	1,500.00
Cutting bushes,	750.00	317.86		500.00
State aid construction,	1,066.00	3.60		1,066.00
Officers' compensation	2,500.00		547.46	3,000.00
Snow removal,	6,500.00		2,846.98	5,000.00
Memorial Day,	75.00			75.00
Cemetery fund,	25.00			25.00
Street lights,	556.60		20.00	630.00
Town audit,	180.00		8.56	200.00
Interest on loans,	450.00			1,100.00
Health nurse,	100.00			100.00
Workmen's compensation,	175.00		96.33	300.00
Fire companies,	1,200.00			1,200.00
East Baldwin Library,	200.00			200.00
Note, Consolidated School,				5,000.00
Support of schools,	13,800.00	*	*	16,000.00
School, repairs and equipment,	300.00	*	*	500.00
School books and supplies,	700.00	*	*	700.00
High school tuition,	4,200.00	*	*	4,200.00
School lunch program,	375.00	*	*	400.00
School insurance,	500.00			750.00
Tar, Woods Mill Road,				350.00
Overdrafts.			55.37	1,000.00
Civilian defense,				100.00
Garage, North Baldwin,	100.00			500.00
Loan, special town meeting,				2,186.30
Total, recommended appropriations for 1953,				\$53,582.30
Total, appropriations, March, 1952.				\$53,352.50

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1952.

Respectfully submitted,

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

LINWOOD S. HOYT,

LEROY F. WOOD,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1952 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1952

Real estate, resident,	\$183,940.00
Personal estate, resident,	40,166.00
Real estate, non-resident,	461,310.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	11,249.00
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Total valuation,	\$696,665.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$53,352.50
County tax,	1,691.64
Overlay,	2,679.39
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Committed to collector,	
including polls,	\$57,723.53
Excise tax collected,	2,881.67
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Total,	\$60,605.20
Extra polls taxed, 8, \$24.00.	
Number of polls taxed, 191.	
Number of polls not taxed, 53.	
Rate of taxation, .082.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

34 horses,	\$2,210.00	
22 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	990.00	
120 milch cows,	6,600.00	
13 heifers over 2 years old, not freshened,	455.00	
3 heifers, 18 months to 2 years,	75.00	
5,312 domestic fowl,	2,656.00	
18,100 chicks,	1,713.00	
	<hr/>	\$14,699.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

97 cattle, 18 months and younger,	\$1,940.00	
11 sheep,	110.00	
39 goats,	390.00	
35 swine,	350.00	
1,297 domestic fowl,	648.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,438.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 7,731.00	
Logs,	2,880.00	
Lumber,	13,395.00	
Trailers,	4,950.00	
Gasoline pumps,	1,110.00	
Musical instruments,	2,950.00	
Radios,	3,385.00	
Tractors not excised,	315.00	
Railroad property,	1,100.00	
Light & Power Co.,	363,241.00	
Sawmills,	4,550.00	
Woodworking mill,	20,500.00	
Wood flour mill,	7,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$433,107.00

ABATEMENTS

F. Lester McKenny, over 70,	\$ 3.00
Cleon Dyer, disabled veteran,	3.00
Old age pension case, unable to pay,	25.42

J. D. Sampson, error in assessment,	41.00
Leroy Bliss, error in assessment,	4.10
Gerald Wood, error in assessment,	8.20
Clifford Dow, paid elsewhere,	3.00
Ralph Kenney, moved away,	.82
Myron T. Locke, paid elsewhere,	3.00
Orin Moore, paid elsewhere,	3.00
Preston Sanborn, over 70,	3.00
Old age pension case, unable to pay,	.82
Glendon Hutchinson, moved away,	16.12
Harry Wilkes, moved away,	3.82
Lionel Blaise, moved away,	2.06
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	\$120.36

SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES

Gerald Davis, poll,	\$ 3.00
Donald Lord, poll,	3.00
Richard A. Rounds, poll,	3.00
Eben Harmon, poll,	3.00
Central Maine Power Co., real estate,	34.44
Dallas McKinnley, poll,	3.00
Everett Perkins, poll,	3.00
Arnold Cutting, poll,	3.00
Edward LeBretten, poll,	3.00
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	\$58.44

UNPAID TAXES

Unpaid taxes as of December 31, 1952, \$3,157.11
 Taxes unpaid when town reports went to print:

Resident

Ralph Anderson,	\$ 32.68
R. B. and F. D. Bicknell,	63.32
Gardiner Black,	47.56
Jesse Decker,	3.00
Abbie Decker,	84.06
Harry Dyer,	16.94
Arthur Dyer,	120.96
Arnold Day,	23.10

Rodney Eldridge,	7.10
Everett Emerson,	48.80
Percy Estes,	.82
Donald Estes,	3.82
Stanley Graffam,	12.84
George Graffam,	17.00
Carl Hawkins,	78.32
Wilbur Harrington,	5.06
Robert M. Issacs,	3.00
Ralph Johnson,	24.20
Edward McNeil,	3.00
Alan McGowan,	36.90
Elsworth Moore,	9.58
Raymond Murch,	31.30
Herman Noble,	5.88
Chester Noble,	5.88
Norman Pomerleau,	4.92
Ruell Robbins,	16.12
Herman Sanborn,	3.82
Robert Sanborn,	3.00
Myron Leslie Sanborn, Jr.,	3.82
Raymond Thombs,	14.08
Glen Verrill,	23.56
Harry Walker,	6.70
Helen Walker,	20.92
Norman Whitney,	7.38
Lottie Wiley,	23.38
Hazen Wiley,	26.24
George Woods,	.82
Kenneth Woodbury,	7.38
Charles Yates,	90.74
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	\$938.00

Non-Resident

Mrs. Willard Andrews,	\$ 6.16
Elsie M. Benson,	22.14
Frances Deering,	36.08
John Fullerton,	18.46
Mrs. Frederick Gardiner,	30.76

John Jewell,	24.60	
Catherine Martin,	26.66	
Solomon Stuart Heirs,	16.40	
Edward Theriault Heirs,	14.36	
Martha Tucker Heirs,	41.00	
	<hr/>	\$236.62

Total,	\$1,174.62
Taxes received since December 31, 1953,	\$1,982.49

SUMMARY OF TOTAL ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town,	\$4,500.00
Authorized selectmen to hire for spring washout at special town meeting,	1,686.30
	<hr/> \$6,186.30
Expended by Mr. Crawford,	\$1,831.74
Expended by Mr. Sanborn,	1,790.86
Expended by Mr. Burnell,	2,029.05

Total expenditures,	<hr/> 5,651.65
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Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1952,	\$534.65
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Details of this summary follows.

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Authorized selectmen to hire for spring washout at special town meeting,	562.10
	<hr/> \$2,062.10
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$297.59
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	449.00
Russell Hoyt, labor,	26.88
Stanley Graffam, labor,	19.09
Herman Sanborn, labor,	105.92
Manuel Stacy, labor,	2.49

Manuel Stacy, truck,	6.75	
Manuel Stacy, shovel,	76.67	
Paul Eldridge, labor,	6.64	
Howard DeRenne, labor,	145.96	
The Strout Co., shovels,	6.10	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	46.90	
Norman Pomerleau, labor,	36.94	
Leslie Sanborn, labor,	6.64	
Percy Estes, labor,	6.64	
Linwood Sanborn, labor,	6.64	
Herbert Brown Heirs, gravel,	28.50	
Richard Buzzell, labor,	6.64	
Raymond Wood, labor,	23.24	
Raymond Wood, truck,	83.25	
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	50.75	
Lester Irish, labor,	2.49	
Lester Irish, truck,	5.40	
Arthur Powers, labor,	6.64	
Arthur Powers, truck,	14.40	
Herbert Buzzell, labor,	6.64	
Raymond J. Wood, gas,	3.10	
Lester Wood, truck,	6.75	
Blue Rock Quarry, tar mix,	55.16	
Raymond Murch, labor,	3.48	
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul-		
verts,	59.59	
Lawrence Hoyt, labor,	52.23	
Preston Sanborn, labor,	82.68	
Avery Howard, labor,	19.14	
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	6.96	
Lloyd Smith, labor,	6.09	
Everett Davis, labor,	6.96	
John Crawford, labor,	13.92	
	<hr/>	1,790.86
Unexpended balance December		
31, 1952,		\$271.24

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Apropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Authorized selectmen to hire for spring washout at special town meeting,	562.10
	<hr/> \$2,062.10
Loren Burnell, Jr., commissioner,	\$447.00
Loren Burnell, Jr., truck,	185.62
John Kelley, lumber,	87.69
Loren Burnell, Jr., tractor,	20.00
Harvey Bliss, labor,	65.99
Harvey Bliss, truck,	76.88
Edward McNeil, labor,	74.95
Merle Moore, labor,	71.45
Robert Norton, gravel,	4.80
Percy Estes, labor,	173.13
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	107.85
Leonard Locke, truck,	50.00
Carl Hawkins, labor,	30.71
Carl Hawkins, truck,	46.25
Joseph Stokes, labor,	208.07
Herbert Brown Heirs, gravel,	13.80
Manuel Stacy, shovel,	26.66
Everett Davis, labor,	28.18
Everett Davis, truck,	10.63
Thomas Hammond, lumber,	66.85
Donald Estes, labor,	81.56
L. C. Cotton & Sons, spikes,	1.80
The Strout Co., pick handles,	1.20
William Fisher, Jr., labor,	91.06
M. P. Fitch, dynamite,	3.65
M. P. Fitch, spikes,	3.84
H. H. Warren, bridge lumber,	15.00
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	33.43
Lester Rankin, labor,	1.00
	<hr/> 2,029.05

Unexpended balance, December
31, 1952,

\$33.05

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Apropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Authorized selectmen to hire for spring washout at special town meeting,	562.10
	<hr/> \$2,062.10
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	\$315.50
Edwin Crawford, truck,	171.24
Everett Davis, labor,	205.85
Everett Davis, truck,	75.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	34.00
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	286.72
Frank York, labor,	141.22
Carl Hawkins, labor,	32.78
Carl Hawkins, truck,	29.37
Raymond Thombs, labor,	39.83
Norman Pomerleau, labor,	20.75
Forrest Thorne, labor,	98.43
Jesse Decker, labor,	6.64
Norman McKenney, labor,	72.42
Norman McKenney, team,	2.49
Carroll Babb, labor,	26.53
Lester Irish, labor,	6.64
Lester Irish, truck,	10.00
Donald Harrington, labor,	10.79
Herbert Brown Heirs, gravel,	31.40
National Woodworking Co., lumber,	62.28
Manuel Stacy, shovel,	26.66
H. F. Partridge, gas,	45.40
M. P. Fitch, spikes,	3.18
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	39.00
Harry Roberts, labor,	15.00
Alfred Crawford, labor,	22.62
	<hr/> 1,831.74
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,	\$230.36

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,066.00
Received from the State,	1,769.12
	<hr/> \$2,835.12

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$162.50
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	91.79
Forrest Thorne, labor,	110.06
Norman McKenney, labor,	4.79
Edwin Crawford, truck,	163.80
Edwin Crawford, labor,	86.14
Alfred Crawford, labor,	32.19
Ralph Roberts, bulldozer operator,	119.46
Harry Roberts, truck driver,	171.77
Everett Davis, labor,	77.87
Everett Davis, truck,	157.50
George Higgins, labor,	16.97
Loren Burnell, labor,	46.99
Loren Burnell, truck,	96.30
Lester Irish, truck,	43.87
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	327.60
Willis Harmon, shovel,	386.77
Willis Harmon, truck,	88.87
Donald Estes, labor,	13.92
Edward McNeil, labor,	20.01
George Anderson, labor,	25.34
George Anderson, truck,	26.10
Clifford Roberts, labor,	26.10
Percy Batchelder, labor,	16.53
Percy Batchelder, truck,	34.20
Dexter Lord, labor,	2.61
Town of Sebago, truck,	5.40
Raymond Wood, truck,	60.75
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	127.16
Everett Roberts, labor,	6.96
Frank York, gravel,	79.10
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	106.00
Hilda Allen, gravel,	96.10
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	2,831.52

Unexpended balance, December
31, 1952,

\$3.60

Balance available for tarring the new
construction, held by the State,

\$362.88

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by the town,		\$750.00
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$ 5.50	
Lawrence Hoyt, labor,	6.96	
Lawrence Hoyt, tractor,	79.63	
Preston Sanborn, labor,	29.58	
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	6.96	
Loren Burnell, Jr., commissioner,	20.90	
Loren Burnell, Jr., truck,	3.75	
Percy Estes, labor,	16.53	
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	69.30	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	15.62	
Forrest Thorne, labor,	3.48	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	3.48	
Carroll Babb, labor,	37.84	
Everett Davis, labor,	35.67	
John Crawford, Jr., tractor,	57.80	
John Crawford, labor,	34.36	
Norman McKenny, labor,	4.78	
	<hr/>	432.14
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,		<hr/> \$317.86

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Apportioned by State,	\$1,371.20	
Town's share gravel,	138.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,509.20
Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$ 50.00	
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	32.63	
Forrest Thorne, labor,	32.63	
Edward McNeil, labor,	6.96	
Norman McKenney, labor,	26.54	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	21.75	
Ira York, labor,	46.25	
Willis Harmon, truck,	72.00	
Willis Harmon, shovel,	129.60	
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	140.40	

Robert Norton, gravel,	138.00
Raymond Murch, labor,	1.00
Dexter Lord, labor,	24.80
George Anderson, labor,	25.67
George Anderson, truck,	53.10
Percy Batchelder, labor,	24.80
Percy Batchelder, truck,	51.30
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	31.32
Loren Burnell, Jr., truck,	50.40
Thomas Anderson, labor,	20.88
Edwin Crawford, truck,	53.10
Raymond Wood, truck,	56.25
Lester Irish, truck,	64.12
William Sturgeon, truck,	54.00
Harry Roberts, labor,	56.96
Frank Harding, labor,	1.00
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	178.54
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	1,444.00

Unexpended balance, December
31, 1952,

\$65.20

SPECIAL RESOLVE

Apportioned by the State,	\$973.52
Town's share, gravel,	17.00
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	\$ 990.52
Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$ 30.00
John Crawford, labor,	20.88
Norman McKenney, labor,	10.44
Forrest Thorne, labor,	17.40
Everett Davis, labor,	20.88
Edwin Crawford, labor,	6.96
Clifford Roberts, labor,	5.22
Ralph Roberts, labor,	25.00
Harry Roberts, labor,	42.72
Everett Davis, truck,	23.40
Edwin Crawford, truck,	21.60
Willis Harmon, truck,	13.50

Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	58.50	
Willis Harmon, shovel,	97.20	
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	647.02	
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	13.52	
Fitton Hardware, cement,	4.05	
Frank York, gravel,	17.00	
	<hr/>	1,075.29
Overdraft, December 31, 1952,		<hr/> \$84.77

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriated by the town,	\$6,500.00	
Received from the State,	1,728.10	
	<hr/>	\$ 8,228.10
Raymond Wood, commissioner,	\$ 732.29	
Raymond Wood, truck,	397.15	
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	196.93	
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	156.35	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	157.88	
Paul Eldridge, labor,	7.47	
Russell Hoyt, labor,	71.88	
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	269.50	
Myron Sanborn, Jr., labor,	1.66	
Raymond Wood, labor,	7.83	
Lawrence Hoyt, labor,	13.28	
Myron Sanborn, Sr., labor,	1.66	
George Graffam, labor,	4.98	
Howard DeRenne, labor,	3.32	
Stanley Graffam, labor,	23.09	
Raymond J. Wood, gas and oil,	39.01	
E. Corey & Co., steel cable,	2.52	
Manuel Stacy, shovel,	130.00	
Wood's Garage,	1,513.28	
Harrison Wood, labor,	7.07	
Wirthmore Feed Co., roofing,	20.97	
Town of Sebago, sand,	56.25	
The Strout Co., spikes and shovels,	11.89	
Millard Tripp, labor,	54.00	

Herman Sanborn, labor,	4.98
Raymond Ayer, sand,	24.90
W. H. Shurtleff, salt,	664.90
Preston Sanborn, labor,	34.80
Preston Sanborn, team,	2.00
Avery Howard, labor,	4.78
Frank York, sand,	.40
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	3.48
Irish & Anderson, shovel,	98.86
Richard Buzzell, labor,	14.36
Jewett & Gunter, oil,	4.60
Leonard Locke, commissioner,	347.49
Leonard Locke, truck,	214.39
Fred Locke, labor,	98.00
Carroll Edwards, labor,	166.00
Ralph Crawford, labor,	127.00
Percy Estes, labor,	176.50
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	226.18
Loren Burnell, Jr., truck,	83.73
Loren Burnell, Jr., commissioner,	172.37
Jack Johnson, labor,	3.00
W. B. Andrews, labor,	59.35
Kenneth Harrington, labor,	3.00
Henry Black, labor,	1.00
Frank Harding, labor,	2.00
Frank Rossi, bulldozers,	864.00
Carl Foster, labor,	3.00
Clifford Murch, labor,	1.00
Roger Riley, labor,	1.00
Ralph Johnson, labor,	1.00
John Kelley, truck,	37.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	80.11
Edward McNeil, labor,	63.28
A. T. Hester, repairs,	89.37
Edward Ribas, labor,	27.63
E. R. & P. L. Walker, welding,	68.14
Ralph Cram, labor,	96.50
Locke's Store, supplies,	.54

Fred Doughty, labor,	73.17
Harvey Bliss, truck,	41.25
Harvey Bliss, labor,	75.39
W. B. Richardson, repairs and parts,	255.19
L. R. Burnell, gas and oil,	311.80
Treasurer of State,	434.00
Raymond Murch, labor,	33.00
Milt Henry's Body Shop, repairs,	5.44
Guy Ridlon, labor,	55.00
Albert Locke, labor,	11.00
Everett Davis, commissioner,	315.10
Everett Davis, truck,	236.78
Everett Davis, labor,	82.21
Edwin Crawford, labor,	114.90
Edwin Crawford, truck,	80.29
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	168.60
Edwin Crawford, paint,	8.04
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	232.88
Alfred Crawford, labor,	121.24
Frank York, labor,	103.96
Forrest Thorne, labor,	4.07
Raymond Thombs, labor,	6.63
Swan's Express,	.95
Richard Rounds, labor,	3.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	24.47
Norman McKenney, labor,	82.43
Norman McKenney, truck,	25.60
H. F. Partridge, gas and oil,	140.19
M. P. Fitch, shovels,	6.50
Yves Barriault, labor,	9.95
Norman Pommerleau, labor,	34.67
Jack Lawless, labor,	2.07
Carl Hawkins, labor,	36.91
Carl Hawkins, truck,	3.75
Chase Parker, labor,	6.50
Carroll Babb, labor,	3.11
Albion Mason, labor,	3.00
Leon Murch, labor,	8.50

Lester Murch, labor,	17.12	
Southworth Machine Co., parts,	145.52	
	<hr/>	11,075.08

Overdraft, December 31, 1952,	\$2,846.98
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WENTWORTH ROAD

Appropriated by the town,		\$500.00
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	\$33.55	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	35.60	
Ralph Roberts, bulldozer operator,	16.25	
Harry Roberts, labor,	24.00	
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	48.75	
Willis Harmon, shovel,	58.72	
Willis Harmon, truck,	29.25	
Everett Davis, labor,	10.44	
Everett Davis, truck,	15.30	
Norman McKenney, labor,	11.31	
Loren Burnell, Jr., truck,	23.40	
Loren Burnell, Jr., labor,	11.31	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	11.31	
John Crawford, labor,	13.92	
Forrest Thorne, labor,	3.48	
Arthur Parker, gravel,	25.80	
National Woodworking Co., bulldozer,	56.00	
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	64.21	
J. Carroll Babb, labor,	3.48	
Frank York, labor,	3.48	
	<hr/>	499.56

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,	\$.44
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GENERAL RELIEF

Appropriated by the town,	\$2,500.00	
Due from Brownfield on Chester Noble and Hiram, case No. 3,	713.89	
Received and due from State on Leon Cressey and Harry Walker,	1,344.81	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	58.20	
	<hr/>	\$4,616.90

Charles Ward, board, supplies, doctor,	\$183.54
Norman Whitney, groceries,	112.21
Chester Noble, groceries and doctor,	652.50
Harry Walker, groceries, clothing and doctor,	515.32
William Walker, groceries and doctor,	494.67
Leon Cressey, groceries, doctor, clothing,	829.49
Clarence Harmon, groceries,	123.09
Minnie Judkins, groceries, doctor, fuel,	255.14
Case No. 1, doctor,	33.50
Case No. 2, fuel,	34.50
A. D. C. Cases, town's share, 18%,	706.14
Raymond Murch, doctor,	37.20
Case No. 3, groceries,	61.39
Donald Estes, groceries,	48.32
Case No. 4, board,	53.00
Percy Estes, groceries and doctor,	87.19
Edward McNeil, groceries and clothing,	319.93
Case No. 5, board and doctor,	610.21
Case No. 6, fuel,	74.85
	<hr/> 5,232.19

Overdraft, December 31, 1952,	\$615.29
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MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,000.00
Authorized selectmen to hire at spe- cial town meeting,	500.00
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	126.48
Received from Brown Cemetery Fund Account,	25.00
	<hr/> \$1,651.48
Water analysis,	\$ 13.40
Ralph Giles, insurance,	31.87
George L. Stevens, mileage, tele- phone, postage,	29.56

Wendell B. Wiggin, mileage, tele- phone, postage,	185.14
Town office phone,	61.08
Plow shed lights,	12.00
Town office lights,	12.28
Town of Standish, 1951 fires,	47.50
Howard Cartret, error in taxes,	15.68
W. S. Hoyt, error in taxes,	3.00
Chute's Express, culverts,	.55
Rent, superintendent's office, town's share,	39.00
Percy Estes, burying calves,	6.64
Treasurer's bond,	75.00
Selectmen's supplies,	54.33
Treasurer's supplies,	62.98
Everett Riley, insurance,	174.14
Chester V. Small, town printing,	235.00
Linwood Hoyt, telephone, postage, mileage,	3.84
Leroy Wood, telephone, postage, mileage,	69.74
West Baldwin Grange, hall rent,	50.00
Maine Municipal Association, yearly dues,	35.00
John O. Sanborn, telephone, mileage, treasurer's expenses,	106.83
Town Clerk, supplies,	25.98
Roxa Belle Palmer, real estate trans- fers,	16.00
Health Officer's duties,	26.00
Discount Martin, check machine,	59.66
Health Clinic,	85.50
Corliss & Lane, legal advice,	102.80
Wood's Garage, grader repairs,	54.94
Ernest Bliss, care of Brown Cemetery,	25.00
	<hr/> 1,720.44
Overdraft, December 31, 1952,	<hr/> \$68.96

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by the town,	\$556.50	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	73.50	
	<hr/>	\$630.00
Central Maine Power Co.,		\$630.00

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,		\$2,500.00
Lewis E. Webber, superintendent of schools,	\$776.29	
George L. Stevens, selectman,	186.00	
Wendell B. Wiggin, selectman,	640.50	
John O. Sanborn, treasurer, tax collector, and excise tax collector,	806.55	
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	90.00	
J. Howard Cartret, constable,	70.00	
Linwood S. Hoyt, selectman,	123.75	
Leroy F. Wood, selectman,	121.37	
Lester E. Wood, school committee,	50.00	
J. Carroll Babb, school committee,	50.00	
Roscoe C. Spencer, school committee,	50.00	
Roscoe C. Spencer, moderator,	10.00	
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	24.00	
Frank Hodgdon, ballot clerk,	24.00	
Dr. Paul C. Marston, health officer,	25.00	
	<hr/>	3,047.46
Overdraft, December 31, 1952,		\$547.46

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$175.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	26.12	
	<hr/>	\$201.12
J. Everett Riley,		297.45
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Overdraft, December 31, 1952,		\$96.33

BUILDING COMMITTEE FUND ACCOUNT

Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	\$70.68
Sylvester Poor, surveying school lot,	25.50

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952, \$45.18

TOWN DUMP

Appropriated by the town,	\$250.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,	\$250.00

TOWN AUDIT

Appropriated by the town,	\$180.00
Graffam Accounting Service,	200.00

Overdraft, December 31, 1952, \$20.00

MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00
Paid Williams Goodwin Post, American Legion,	\$75.00

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00

EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$200.00
Paid treasurer, East Baldwin Library,	\$200.00

HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid treasurer of the State,	\$100.00

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,200.00
Paid West Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$400.00
Paid North Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
Paid East Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
	<hr/> \$1,200.00

INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Appropriated by the town,	\$450.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	35.17	
	<hr/>	485.17
Paid interest on all town notes,		493.75
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Overdraft, December 31, 1952,		\$8.58

BUILDING COMMITTEE FUND NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$300.00

TOWN OFFICE ACCOUNT

It was voted at a special town meeting to transfer the money from this account into an account to pay for moving the safes from the old town office to the new one.

Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	\$150.00
Chase Parker, carpentry work,	\$ 24.00
Chase Transfer Co., moving safes,	165.00
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	189.00
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Overdraft, December 31, 1952,	\$39.00

SESQUICENTENNIAL ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$200.00
Orchestra,	\$ 32.00
Programs,	20.00
Banner,	17.85
Band,	101.00
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	170.85
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Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,	\$29.15
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CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Standard Sign Co., police belts and arm bands,	\$78.31

Leslie Nelscn, mileage to police school,	45.70	
Alfred Jewell, mileage to police school,	23.36	
Civilian defense phone,	8.00	
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		155.37
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Overdraft, December 31, 1952,		\$55.37

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Portland Savings Bank, check to Harry Dyer,	\$ 250.00	
Portland Savings Bank, deposit on book,	2,993.15	
Maine Savings Bank, deposit on book,	4,777.62	
Federal Reserve Bank, Series G bonds,	5,772.00	
Kezar Falls Bank, interest on bonds,	287.50	
Kezar Falls Bank, sale of coupon bonds,	22,585.00	
Treasurer, State of Maine, 1/2 cost building plans,	1,200.00	
Kezar Falls Bank, loan at 2%,	32,500.00	
Appropriated by the town,	10,000.00	
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		\$80,365.27

Expenses

Vinal Good, contractor's bond,	\$ 709.19
Harry Dyer, parcel of land,	250.00
Massachusetts Gas & Electric Co., light fixtures,	2,175.46
Portland Press Herald, advertising for bids,	21.12
Hall & Knight Hardware Co., school building hardware,	1,146.60
Frank Rossi, bulldozing lot,	2,000.00
Everett Riley, insurance,	471.91
Cornish & Kezar Falls Light Co., stove, refrigerator,	550.00

Swan's Express,	1.08	
William Armitage, architect fees,	2,625.00	
Thomas Marland, contractor,	56,691.98	
	<hr/>	66,642.34
Unexpended balance, December		
31, 1952,		\$13,722.93

GENERAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Appropriated by the town,	\$13,800.00	
Music account balance, January 1,		
1952,	213.57	
Rinehart Writing System appro-		
priation,	350.00	
Tuition reimbursement, Mrs. Sweet,	52.00	
Town of Cornish, refund,	11.06	
From State School fund,	3,623.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1,		
1952,	3,761.26	
	<hr/>	\$21,810.89

Expenses

Teaching,	\$10,198.69	
Elementary school tuition,	488.43	
Janitor,	1,458.54	
Conveyance,	4,763.54	
Fuel,	590.16	
Utilities,	299.65	
	<hr/>	17,799.01
Unexpended balance, December		
31, 1952,		\$4,011.88

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Nellie Black,	\$1,017.95
Gladys Cartret,	1,565.11
Louise Gray,	1,514.88

Muriel Hoyt,	1,630.89	
Ida Ward,	1,568.78	
Charlotte Syphers,	4.00	
Helen Stickney,	98.80	
Maxine Pierce,	641.60	
Rinehart Writing System,	120.00	
Flora Carpenter, music teacher,	603.40	
Treasurer of State, T. R. F.,	463.13	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	970.15	
	<hr/>	\$10,198.69

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Sebago,	\$475.00	
City of Portland,	13.43	
	<hr/>	\$488.43

JANITOR

W. B. Andrews,	\$534.27	
Frank Wentworth,	551.43	
Martha White,	188.00	
Edward Babb Co.,	17.30	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	5.24	
Norton Hardware Co.,	3.33	
Town of Porter,	4.38	
H. F. Partridge,	3.33	
C. B. Dolge Co.,	1.77	
M. P. Fitch,	1.74	
George Wood,	2.00	
J. I. Holcomb,	44.20	
Bailey's Store,	1.37	
Edith Wiggin,	4.50	
Genevieve Powers,	5.50	
Robert Bicknell,	4.00	
University of Nebraska,	1.68	
Milton Bradley Co.,	49.50	
Cleon Dyer,	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,458.54

CONVEYANCE

Anita Eldridge,	\$1,371.90	
Ada McKenney,	1,443.90	
Arthur Richards,	185.00	
Thelma Warren,	1,620.00	
Sebago Lake Garage,	40.00	
J. Everett Riley,	102.74	
	<hr/>	\$4,763.54

FUEL

Russell Smith,	\$ 12.00	
Jewett & Gunter,	575.66	
Maine Wood Products,	2.50	
	<hr/>	\$590.16

UTILITIES

Ada McKenney,	\$ 92.50	
Portland Tinware,	9.38	
Milt Henry's Body Shop,	.75	
Lewis E. Webber,	35.76	
Central Maine Power Co.,	161.26	
	<hr/>	\$299.65

SCHOOL INSURANCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00	
J. Everett Riley,	496.50	
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Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952, \$3.50

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriated by the town,	\$700.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	103.35	
From State School fund,	180.00	
	<hr/>	\$983.35
Chester Small,	\$ 17.80	
Arundel Print Shop,	9.15	
Ginn & Co.,	170.33	
The Big 3 Music Corp.,	37.20	

Lewis E. Webber,	25.74	
McCormack-Mathers,	66.08	
Coinbasco Scientific Co.,	7.65	
Milton Bradley Co.,	1.58	
Scott-Foresman Co.,	289.39	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	41.85	
Singer Co.,	3.63	
Cascade Paper Co.,	5.14	
Standard Duplicating Co.,	.63	
Rowe-Peterson Co.,	1.64	
Edward Babb Co.,	1.99	
Vinton School Form Co.,	.84	
Denoyer-Gippert Co.,	21.98	
Gledhill Bros.,	32.60	
C. A. Gregory Co.,	4.22	
Mainco Trading Co.,	3.55	
Laidlaw Bros., Inc.,	39.77	
Allyn & Bacon Co.,	40.19	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	6.58	
Silver, Burdette Co.,	26.89	
Graber Society, Inc.,	10.60	
Beckley & Cardy Co.,	8.02	
National Education Association,	.52	
Rand & McNally,	10.62	
C. S. Hammond,	17.95	
J. B. Lippincott Co.,	1.63	
Viking Press,	2.00	
World Book Co.,	9.49	
Ann Spring,	6.75	
Beaudette & Co.,	.90	
Discount Martin,	.80	
Treasurer of State,	1.25	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2.25	
Lyons & Callahan,	2.48	
	<hr/>	\$931.68
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,		<hr/> \$51.67

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriated by the town,	\$4,200.00	
Balance January 1, 1952,	334.48	
From State School fund,	1,400.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,934.48
Town of Standish,	\$ 725.70	
Town of Sebago,	1,864.20	
Fryeburg Academy,	2,097.37	
	<hr/>	4,687.27
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Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,		\$1,247.21

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	427.78	
	<hr/>	\$727.78
Chase Parker,	\$ 73.62	
Fred Doughty,	3.00	
Kimball Supply,	3.00	
Carl Gray,	65.00	
Arundel Print Shop,	1.50	
James F. Howe,	103.07	
Wendell Tripp,	44.15	
The Strout Co.,	7.20	
Warren Martin,	3.25	
Aubrey Edgecomb,	4.20	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	10.99	
	<hr/>	318.98
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Unexpended balance, December 31, 1952,		\$408.80

SCHOOL LUNCH

Appropriated by the town,	\$375.00
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1952,	182.00

From State subsidies,	426.16	
	<hr/>	\$983.16
Olive Sanborn,	\$ 80.00	
Eva Hoyt,	90.00	
West Baldwin School Lunch,	201.74	
East Baldwin School Lunch,	193.55	
Baldwin School Lunch,	30.87	
	<hr/>	596.16
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Unexpended balance, December		
31, 1952,		\$387.00

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE—1952

The extent to which the functions of the Public Health Nurse may serve your community depends largely upon the degree to which the community has developed interest and co-operation in the Public Health Service. It does not seem that the circumstances during 1952 have been favorable to any great degree of progress. We know that cooperative planning is necessary to any well balanced program and this is true of a community health program. An organized group representative of all sections of Baldwin would be of immeasurable help in guiding and supporting health plans. Who is better able to make sound decisions and interpret the town's needs better than its own citizens?

An immunization clinic was held this past year to which all members of the community were invited. Twenty received protection against smallpox and twenty eight against diphtheria, whooping cough, and tetanus. Is it possible that a high percent of the population is protected and the time spent at clinic would be better placed on some other activity? Is it time for a survey in relation to number in community who are immunized? An organized Health Council would be able to answer these questions.

During the past year visits have been made to expectant and new mothers, to help the family carry out specific medical advice as to maternal hygiene and infant care.

The newborn period is an important time in every baby's life. The nurse can be of service in demonstrating care to the mother and in observing abnormal conditions or moderate deviations from normal which should be called to the doctor's attention.

Visits have been made to children with orthopedic or heart defects in order to acquaint the family with the resources available. Too, home visits to school children and to adults to give health supervision have been made.

Plans for this year included using the audiometer to test the hearing of those children in the fourth grade and above. However, it seemed better to extend this planning until all children would be together in one school. Definite plans will now be made for the hearing tests in February or March.

Let us hope that the coming year will find an organized group in your community who will set up a long range program which will include plans for Child Health Conferences as well as a well balanced school health program.

I take this opportunity to thank those persons who in any way assisted with the program ast year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS, R. N.,
State Bureau of Health.

REPORTS OF THE FIRE COMPANIES

EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.

Report of Equipment at Fire House

Hose: 300 feet of 2½ inch, and 700 feet of 1½ inch.

Indian tanks: 10.

Electric lanterns: 2.

Extension ladder: 1.

Rubber boots: 1 pair.

Portable pump: 1.

Chemical fire extinguisher: 1.

Fireman's axe and bar: 1 of each.

First aid kit: 1.

One battery charger.

Suction hose for portable pump: 1 length.

Suction hose for front end pump: 3 lengths.

Fires attended:

1 house—Everett Emerson.

Several grass and brush fires.

Firemen's Report

January 1, 1952, balance on hand,	\$127.82	
Received from town,	400.00	
Dues received,	26.00	
Activities,	123.29	
Received from Centennial,	24.85	
Received from band concert,	39.66	
Donations,	235.00	
Total,		\$976.62
Paid Out:		
Jewett and Gunter for oil,	\$130.92	
Insurance on equipment, building		
and men,	166.05	
Gas, oil and repairs on truck,	34.61	
Equipment for truck,	54.63	
Finishing interior of firehouse,	183.49	

Lights,	12.00
Miscellaneous,	19.88
Reserved for fire hose,	250.00
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Total,	851.58
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On hand January 22, 1953,	\$125.04
LLOYD H. SMITH,	
Treasurer.	

NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.

Report from January 26, 1952, to January 26, 1953

Unexpended balance of 1951,	\$276.75
Appropriated by town,	400.00
Donation by Dr. R. F. Chase,	200.00
Appropriated by members,	195.99
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	\$1,072.74
Necessary Expenses:	
Lights,	\$ 12.12
Fuel,	27.60
Insurance on building, men and truck,	155.90
Maintenance of equipment,	64.19
New equipment,	401.81
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Total expenditures,	\$660.81
Unexpended balance, January	
26, 1953,	411.93
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	\$1,072.74

Fires attended were Prentist Wentworth, chimney fire, Perkins' automobile, and Gerald Davis chimney.

We wish to thank the town's inhabitants for their help in maintaining the Fire Company.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBION H. MASON,
Secretary, North Baldwin
Volunteer Fire Company.

WEST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.

Cash on hand January 1, 1952,	\$493.62	
Received from donations,	248.50	
Contributed by members,	38.18	
Amount received from dues,	86.00	
Amount received from town,	400.00	
Amount received from activities,	417.19	
	<hr/>	\$1,683.49
Amount paid on equipment,	\$779.91	
Amount paid on maintenance,	409.36	
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Cash on hand, January 1, 1952, \$494.22
 Respectfully submitted,
 DONALD T. FLINT, Treasurer.

TREASURER'S REPORT**STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND
DISBURSEMENTS**

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin
 Year Ending December 31, 1952
 J. O. Sanborn, Treasurer

Taxes:

Current year,	\$54,504.50	
Prior years,	1,890.80	
Excise taxes,	2,881.67	
Liens paid during year,	331.89	
	<hr/>	\$59,608.86

State grants:

School maintenance,	\$5,203.00	
School lunch,	426.16	
Highways,	5,841.94	
Health and welfare,	1,295.12	
Bank stock tax,	12.24	
Dog tax refund,	8.26	
Railroad and telegraph tax,	27.00	
	<hr/>	12,813.72

Temporary loans,	\$25,000.00	25,000.00
Other receipts:		

Interest, Brown Cemetery funds,	\$ 25.00	
Mrs. L. J. Swett, tuition,	52.00	
Miscellaneous,	14.60	
Town of Brownfield, aid to poor,	154.91	
Note, Kezar Falls National Bank,	2,186.30	
Kezar Falls National Bank, building committee note,	300.00	
Balance January 1, 1952, on hand,	9,112.90	
	<hr/>	11,845.71

Total,		\$109,268.29
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Disbursements:

Warrants,	\$88,592.49	
Cash, on hand and in bank,	10,675.80	
Transferred to Canal National Bank, Consolidated School appropriation,	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$109,268.29

ACCOUNTS HELD IN TRUST**Brown Cemetery Fund**

Brown Cemetery Fund: U. S. Savings Bond, Series G, 2½% interest,	\$1,000.00
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Deacon's Fountain Fund

Town of Baldwin, Me., U. S. Savings Bond, Series F, October 1, 1943, due in 12 years, not transferable,	\$500.00
Maine Savings Bank, Portland, Me., cash,	149.96

\$649.96

JOHN O. SANBORN,
Treasurer.

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL BUILDING ACCOUNT

For the Year Ended December 31, 1952

Receipts

March 12, 1952, Dr. R. F. Chase, 4-\$1,000.00 coupon bonds, face value \$4,000.00.	
March 12, 1952, checks, \$651.68.	
Deposited in Portland Savings Bank:	
March 13, 1952, Portland Savings Bank check,	\$ 250.00
May 1, 1952, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, sale of Series G bonds,	5,772.00
May 5, 1952, transfer from Portland Savings Bank to Canal National Bank,	2,993.15
May 5, 1952, transfer from Maine Savings Bank to Canal National Bank,	4,777.62
May 10, 1952, Philip S. Brooks, Inc., refund on plans,	10.00
June 23, 1952, interest on coupon bonds,	287.50
Sale of coupons bonds, 22,590.70 less \$5.70 insurance and postage,	22,585.00
July 19, 1952, treasurer State of Maine, 1/2 cost of school building plans,	1,200.00
August 13, 1952, Kezar Falls National Bank, authorized loan at 2%,	32,500.00
December 31, 1952, transferred from general account amount of appropriation,	10,000.00
Total,	\$80,375.27

Disbursements

March 15, 1952, Harry C. Dyer, land bought, \$	250.00
May 6, 1952, Press Herald-Express, notice to contractors,	21.12

May 6, 1952, Frank Rossi, grading school lot,	2,000.00
May 17, 1952, Thomas Marland, part payment contract,	7,107.75
May 17, 1952, William O. Armtage, school plans,	2,625.00
May 23, 1952, Thomas Marland, ledge removing,	1,700.95
May 28, 1952, Thomas Marland, part payment contract,	7,129.80
July 12, 1952, J. Everett Riley, insurance,	435.43
July 12, 1952, Thomas Marland, part payment contract,	9,280.17
July 12, 1952, Vinal G. Good, bond for Thomas Marland,	709.19
August 9, 1952, Massachusetts Gas & Electric Co., fixtures and supplies,	2,175.46
August 9, 1952, J. Everett Riley, insurance,	36.48
August 15, 1952, Thomas Marland, part payment contract,	8,472.69
October 7, 1952, Thomas Marland, part payment contract,	16,841.61
October 28, 1952, Hall & Knight Hardware, Hardware,	1,146.60
December 15, 1952, Cornish & Kezar Falls Power & Light Co., electric refrigerator and range,	550.00
December 15, 1952, Swans Express,	1.08
December 15, 1952, Thomas Marland, part payment contract,	6,159.01
December 31, 1952, bank balance,	13,722.93
December 31, 1952, 1 check not deposited,	10.00
Total,	<hr/> \$80,375.27

REPORT OF CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Voted to sign contract March 11, 1952.

Contractor's original bid was, \$72,840.00

From this figure was deducted:

Automatic bell unit,	\$ 250.00	
Wardrobe doors,	1,000.00	
Rock lath,	920.00	
	2,371.00	

Total,		\$70,469.00
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To this figure was added:

Plastic asphalt tile (toilets),	\$300.00	
Extra concrete due to raising building,	150.00	
	450.00	

Final figure as of date of contract,		\$70,919.00
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Breakdown of bid prices of \$70,919.00.

Allowance for purchase of hard- ware by committee,	\$1,250.00	
Allowance for purchase of floor- ing by committee,	1,500.00	
Allowance for purchase of electric- al fixtures by the committee,	2,500.00	
	5,250.00	

Materials and labor furnished by contractor,		\$65,669.00
Plus cost of removing ledge,		1,700.95

Total amount to be paid con- tractor,		\$67,369.95
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Hardware purchased by committee,	\$1,146.60	
Flooring purchased by committee,	1,285.00	
Electrical fixtures purchased by committee,	2,175.16	
	<hr/>	4,606.76

Contract cost of building,	\$71,976.71
To the contract cost of building are added:	

Extra electrical conduit,	\$ 103.50	
Extra plumbing material,	158.74	
Extra plumbing labor,	26.00	
Changing fixtures from old buildings.		
Furniture,	2,205.31	
Kitchen fixtures,	550.00	
Grading lot,	2,000.00	
Architects fee,	3,545.95	
Bond,	709.19	
Insurance,	471.91	
	<hr/>	9,770.60

Total amount paid,	\$81,747.31
Total amount of school fund,	80,415.45

Overdraft,	\$1,331.86
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The building and equipment is covered by a 12 month guarantee against defects. This is to take care of such things as heating plant adjustments, leaking pipes, electrical failures, etc.

The roof is a 20 year bonded Barrett specification.

Respectfully submitted by the Building Committee,

DONALD T. FLINT, Chairman,
GORDON MILLIKEN,
FRED DOUGHTY,
CHASE PARKER,
HARRISON WOOD,
NORMAN BERRY,
LEROY F. WOOD.

The \$32,500.00 loan for the Consolidated School Fund was negotiated by the selectmen and town treasurer with the Kezar Falls National Bank.

The note is to be repaid at the rate of \$5,000.00 a year, plus interest which is at 2%, the interest is to be paid semi-annually.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Fiscal Year 1952

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State,	\$117.40
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VITAL STATISTICS

Number of births recorded,	17
Number of marriages recorded,	7

DEATHS

In Baldwin:

February 17, 1952, Charles H. Ward.

March 4, 1952, Daniel Ward.

April 1, 1952, George H. Burnell.

April 27, 1952, Maude L. Warren.

June 10, 1952, Lillian H. Black.

June 28, 1952, Grace A. Tufts.

July 9, 1952, Willie L. Wentworth.

In Denmark:

August 8, 1952, Fred W. Sawyer.

In Augusta:

August 19, 1952, Fanny P. Turner.

In Togus:

November 3, 1952, Carroll W. Chase.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,
Town Clerk.

SESQUICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

June 21, 1952

PROGRAM

- 9.30 A. M. Parade.
- 11.00 A. M. Ball game, Old Timers vs. Young Timers.
- 12.30 P. M. Lunch.
- 2.00 P. M. Band concert, Porter High School Band.
 Invocation, Rev. Everett Hawkes.
 Address of Welcome, Wendell Wiggin.
 Singing, National Anthem.
 Historical Address, Judge Lauren M. Sanborn.
 Music, Baldwin School children.
 Remarks, Sons of Baldwin.
 Singing, "Fair Baldwin," audience.
 Benediction, Rev. Fergus Lea.
- 4.00 P. M. Parade of doll carriages, bicycles and tri-cycles.
- 7.00 P. M. Band concert, Porter High School Band.
- 8.00 P. M. Dancing, West Baldwin Grange Hall.
- Antique Exhibit: Vestry, West Baldwin Church.
- Town Incorporated, June 23, 1802

COMMITTEE'S REPORT

We, the general committee for the Sesquicentennial Celebration of the Town of Baldwin, wish to extend to all organizations and to the inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin, our personal thanks for the whole hearted support they gave us in making the celebration the success we believe it was.

ROSCOE C. SPENCER, Chairman,
 GLADYS B. CARTRET,
 IDA F. WARD,
 ADA McKENNEY,
 GRACE I. WOOD,
 DOROTHY SMITH.

IN APPRECIATION

Two special committees have served the Town of Baldwin this past year voluntarily and without financial remuneration for their time or mileage. These committees were:

Consolidated School Building Committee—Donald T. Flint, Chairman; Leroy F. Wood, Chase Parker, Gordon Milliken, Harrison Wood, Fred Doughty, Norman Berry.

Sesquicentennial Celebration Committee—Roscoe C. Spencer, Chairman; Gladys B. Cartret, Ida F. Ward, Ada McKenney, Grace I. Wood, Dorothy Smith.

On behalf of the inhabitants of Baldwin the selectmen wish to express to the chairmen and personnel of these committees the thanks and appreciation of the public of Baldwin. Also to Alfred Jewell, Merle Moore, Fred Howell and the other men who helped for their excellent police work on sesquicentennial day.

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

LINWOOD S. HOYT,

LEROY F. WOOD,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

(Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1952)

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

I am pleased to submit my third annual report as your superintendent of schools, and to discuss for you the following items: Faculty, Enrollment, Handwriting, School Lunch Program, Consolidated School, and Budget Data for the ensuing year.

At the conclusion of this report you will find the financial statement for the past year and the report of the supervisor of music.

FACULTY

To have and to hold good teachers during this period of teacher shortage will be a saving grace for many communities. It is difficult for people to realize that the teacher supply is short when their schools re-open regularly each fall with a full quota of teachers. However, we are not interested in having a teacher in every classroom; we are interested in having a capable, efficient and well-trained teacher in every classroom.

When we consider that 752 teachers were lost to the State of Maine last summer, and consider that the last week in August, 1952, more than 175 vacancies still existed in Maine, and consider that conservative estimates indicate that Maine colleges will graduate 250 elementary teachers this coming June to meet the demand for 600 new teachers, we begin to understand some of the talk about the crisis in the teacher supply situation.

For these, and other reasons, it is becoming increasingly difficult to find qualified candidates when vacancies occur. The State and every community have the joint responsibility of doing everything possible to solve the immediate and long range problems of teacher supply.

The local situation is favorable at the moment. The four teachers who returned and the newly employed Mrs. Maxine Pierce are all doing commendable work.

Mrs. Pierce began the year as teacher of the primary grades in East Baldwin and was assigned to grades 2 and 3 in the new building. Mrs. Louise Gray, primary grade teacher in West Baldwin, now has grades 1 and 2. Mrs. Muriel Hoyt, North Baldwin teacher of grades 1 through 6 has been reassigned to grades 4 and 5. Mrs. Ida Ward, who was principal at West Baldwin and teacher of grades 5 through 8, is now teacher of grades 7 and 8. Mrs. Gladys Cartret is principal of the Consolidated School and has the 6th grade room. She formerly was principal at East Baldwin and teacher of grades 5 through 8.

ENROLLMENTS

The elementary school population has fluctuated to such an extent over a three year period, it is difficult to determine a trend in the enrollment. In brief, there was a sharp increase in the number of pupils last year, and an even sharper decrease this year. No prediction will be attempted for next year.

Inasmuch as it has become a policy to give enrollments as of December the first each year, the following chart is based on the situation that existed before moving into the new building. The totals are compared with those of the previous two years:

Teacher	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Louise Gray,	5	8	6	4					23
Maxine Pierce,	5	5	5	6					21
Muriel Hoyt,		3	3	1	3	5			15
Gladys Cartret,					5	6	10	4	25
Ida Ward,					9	8	6	7	30
52-53 totals,	10	16	14	11	17	19	16	11	114
51-52 totals,	17	20	16	17	23	17	11	14	135
50-51 totals,		14	19	17	21	15	11	11	120
50-51 totals,	14	19	17	21	15	11	12	11	120

(Music: Flora Carpenter)

The survey of high school students shows no appreciable change from last year. The following table gives the figures by schools for a three year period:

School	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
Cornish High,	1	0	0
Fryeburg Academy,	8	10	9
Potter Academy,	17	10	11
Standish High,	6	5	6
Totals,	32	25	26

Of the 26 students enrolled this year, 6 are seniors. We have 11 eighth graders, giving a potential enrollment of 31 for next year. It is estimated that there will be 2 drop-outs, leaving a net figure of 29. The high school tuition budget is based on this number.

HANDWRITING

In response to a special article in the town warrant last year, it was voted to raise and appropriate \$350.00 for the Rinehart Writing System. That was done with the understanding that the town would be given an opportunity in 1953 to vote whether or not to continue said program. The plan has been in effect for the relatively short period of about five months. It will have to stand on its own merits. Those of you who have observed the results of the Rinehart method are best qualified to testify as to its worthwhileness. As agreed, there will be a special article in the town warrant again this year, but the amount has been reduced to \$300.00 due to consolidation.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The type A hot lunch program was begun as soon as the classes moved into the new school. The joint P. T. A.'s elected Mrs. Olive Brown as supervisor and Mrs. Ada McKenney as cook. Mrs. Brown also assists in the kitchen.

Experience with other school lunch programs indicates that the twenty cents per meal being charged, plus the United States Department of Agriculture subsidy of six and a half cents per meal and surplus commodities furnished therefrom, will just about defray the cost of supplies for the program. This means that the length of time the program can be operated depends almost entirely on the amount of money raised by the town to pay the labor costs of \$40.00 per week.

The school department budget requests an appropriation of \$400.00 for school lunches. The decision as to the amount of financial support to give the program is, of course, one for the town to make. Mrs. Brown will attempt to have costs and estimates figured as carefully as possible by town meeting time in order to give you the most accurate data possible.

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

Elsewhere in the town report you will find a record of the details relating to the construction of the new building, as submitted by the chairman of the building committee. However, it is desired to make a few observations in this report.

Many persons have contributed in various ways towards the planning and construction of the new school. Any attempt to single out individuals for special commendation would likely result in the unintentional slighting of one or more persons. However, acknowledgment should be made of Dr. Richard F. Chase's efforts in behalf of the consolidated school.

It is also in order to mention three groups whose co-operative efforts greatly facilitated the work necessary for making the school become a reality, namely: the Building Committee; the town officials—Selectmen and Treasurer; and the Superintending School Committee. These three groups have met separately and jointly many times to deal with the problems of the school.

The interest and support as shown by others too numerous to mention have been greatly appreciated, and last, but decidedly not least of whom, are the taxpayers themselves.

The town as a whole can rightfully be proud of the achievement known as the Baldwin Consolidated School.

BUDGET DATA

The school budget for the ensuing year shows an anticipated increase of \$3,800.00 in expenses and an appropriation increase of \$2,325.00. The apparent discrepancy is due to unexpended balances that will make up part of the difference, plus the fact that the writing appropriation is in a separate article.

Some of the larger expenditure increase estimates are indicated as follows: fuel, \$410.00; janitor, cleaning and supplies, \$540.00; conveyance, \$560.00; utilities, \$200.00; repairs and equipment, \$480.00; insurance, 250.00; and high school tuition, \$1,415.00.

Comparative appropriation figures to show the 1953 budget requests as compared with last year are as follows:

Account	1952	Proposed 1953
Elementary schools,	\$13,800.00	\$16,000.00
Books and supplies,	700.00	700.00
Repairs and equipment,	300.00	500.00
Insurance,	500.00	750.00
School lunch,	375.00	400.00
High school tuition,	4,200.00	4,200.00
Rinehart Writing,	350.00	(Special Article)
Totals,	\$20,225.00	\$22,550.00

In concluding this report, in behalf of all school personnel I wish to express thanks and appreciation to all who have befriended and supported the schools during

the past year, and to commend the work of the P. T. A. with special reference to the operation of the school lunch program.

Your continued efforts for the betterment of the education program are earnestly solicited.

Most sincerely,

LEWIS E. WEBBER,

Superintendent of Schools.

BALDWIN FINANCIAL REPORT

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1952

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 3,761.26
1952 appropriation,	13,800.00
1952 State subsidy,	3,623.00
Transfer from music,	213.57
Writing appropriation,	350.00
Mrs. Swett, tuition,	52.00
Town of Cornish, refund,	11.06
	<hr/> \$21,810.89

Expenses

Instruction,	\$10,198.69
Fuel,	590.16
Janitor,	1,458.54
Conveyance,	4,763.54
Utilities,	299.65
Tuition,	488.43
	<hr/> \$17,799.01
Unexpended this year,	4,011.88
	<hr/> \$21,810.89

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$103.35	
1952 appropriation,	700.00	
1952 State subsidy,	180.00	
	<hr/>	\$983.35

Expenses

Textbooks,	\$737.41	
Supplies,	194.27	
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	\$931.68	
Unexpended this year,	51.67	
	<hr/>	\$983.35

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$182.00	
1952 appropriation,	375.00	
U. S. D. A. payments,	426.16	
	<hr/>	\$983.16

Expenses

West P. T. A., reimbursement,	\$232.61	
East P. T. A., reimbursement,	193.55	
Olive Sanborn, cook,	80.00	
Eva Hoyt, cook,	90.00	
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	\$596.16	
Unexpended this year,	387.00	
	<hr/>	\$983.16

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT**Receipts**

Unexpended this year,	\$427.78	
1952 appropriation,	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$727.78

Expenses

Repairs,	\$241.49	
Equipment,	77.49	
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	\$318.98	
Unexpended this year,	408.80	
	<hr/>	\$727.78

INSURANCE**Receipts**

1952 appropriation,	\$500.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00

Expenses

Fire insurance,	\$472.50	
Liability insurance,	24.00	
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	\$496.50	
Unexpended this year,	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$500.00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 334.48	
1952 appropriation,	4,200.00	
1952 State subsidy,	1,400.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,934.48

Expenses

Fryeburg Academy,	\$2,097.37	
Town of Sebago,	1,864.20	
Town of Standish,	725.70	
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	\$4,687.27	
Unexpended this year,	1,247.21	
	<hr/>	\$5,934.48

SPECIAL ACCOUNT**Receipts**

State subsidy (towards architect's fees),	\$1,200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,200.00

Expenses

Transferred to town treasurer (for Consolidated School Building Fund),	\$1,200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,200.00

MUSIC REPORT FOR BALDWIN

To the Superintendent of Schools, Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin, I Submit the Following Music Report:

It certainly is a privilege and a pleasure to teach music in such a beautiful, modern and nicely equipped new school building, as you have made possible in your town. It truly is a dream in reality and surely the pride of both pupils and teachers.

The acoustics are most pleasing and satisfying in the rooms and auditorium. To the person who planned this unit please accept, from the music department, a compliment.

The organs and piano were moved from their last respective school buildings and placed in some of the rooms for the convenience of the teachers. On visitation day for the supervisor of music, all classes except one, come into the auditorium for their work. The one exception is grades four and five. As they have an instrument in their home room it seems quite unnecessary to move this class. If at any time, however, we need more room for extra activity the change will be made.

Mrs. Cartret has charge of the daily work in music for grades six, seven and eight. The sixth grade sings as a complete unit, while grades seven and eight sing together. Two and three part music is enjoyed by these grades. Music theory and appreciation are being studied. Rhythmics and folk dancing will be given now that room for such is available.

Mrs. Hoyt teaches the music for grades four and five. At present the class is singing as a unit. Later it may seem necessary to divide the class. I am watching this class very closely. Two-part music is the goal. Before school comes to a close we are hoping to have achieved this new experience.

Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Gray have grades one, two and three, with a division in grade two. Rote songs, learning to follow words and notes (syllable reading for grade three), singing games and simple folk dances are being taught and enjoyed. It seems wonderful to have ample room for such activity.

A piano fund is growing to purchase a piano for the auditorium. It will be a used instrument but with careful planning and proper investigation a committee can secure a very nice one both in tone production and appearance. The sum of sixty-seven dollars has been raised as of this date.

A program will be given by the pupils sometime during the spring term of school. We hope you will all come, as we are going to give you our best to show our appreciation for the new school building.

For the fine co-operation, interest and assistance which the teachers give from week to week I extend my sincere thanks. May I also extend my thanks to Mr. Webber for his help and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORA CARPENTER,

Supervisor of Music.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

January 26, 1953.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin,
Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1952, and, submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedules reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the close of the year.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment.

Exhibit "B" Comparative Balance Sheet.

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations.

Exhibit "D" Anaylsis of General Revenue Fund Surplus.

Schedule 1 State of Cash Receipts and Disbursements.

Schedule 2 Statement of Trust Funds.

Schedule 3 Consolidated School Building Fund.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the Treasurer, Collector and Selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1952. We ascertained that all cash shown to have been received by these officials had been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper and made such other tests as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at December 31, 1952, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By FRED R. GOULD,

Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT "B"

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

TOWN OF BALDWIN

Year Ended December 31, 1952 and 1951

Assets

	December 31,	
	1952	1951
General fund:		
Cash,	\$10,675.80	\$ 9,112.90
Uncollected taxes,	4,331.89	3,397.47
Due from Consolidated School Fund,		229.32
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Total asset general fund,	\$15,007.69	\$12,739.69
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Consolidated School Building Fund:		
Cash, Schedule 3,	\$13,732.93	\$ 7,139.73
Bonds,		25,000.00
Notes payable invested in construction,	32,500.00	
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	\$46,232.93	\$32,139.73

Trust funds invested:

Hannah Woodman fund,	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Deacons Fountain fund,	500.00	500.00
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Total trust funds,	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$62,740.62	\$46,379.42
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Liabilities and Reserve

General fund liabilities:

Notes payable,	\$ 2,186.30	
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Reserves:

School funds,	6,086.56	\$ 5,022.44
Excise taxes prepaid,	275.27	300.97
Surplus,	6,459.56	7,416.28
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Total liabilities, reserves and surplus,	\$15,007.69	\$12,739.69
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Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable,	\$32,500.00	
Unexpended principal,	13,732.93	\$31,910.41
Due general fund,		229.32
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Total Consolidated School Building Fund,	\$46,232.93	\$32,139.73
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Trust funds principal,	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
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Total liabilities, reserves, surplus and trust funds,	\$62,740.62	\$46,379.42
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EXHIBIT "D"

**ANALYSIS OF GENERAL REVENUE FUND
SURPLUS****For the Year Ended December 31, 1952**

Balance, January 1, 1952,	\$7,416.28
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Additions:

Loan appropriated for,	300.00
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 \$7,716.28

Deductions:

Abatements,	\$120.36	
Consolidated School committee		
1951 expenditures,	229.32	
Appropriation overexpended,	907.04	
	<hr/>	1,256.72
Balance, December 31, 1952, Exhibit		
"B",		<hr/> \$6,459.56

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

Portland, Maine

Gentlemen:

Complying with the Public Laws of 1945, Chapter 84, Section 119, we are mailing one copy of the audit report to the State Department of Audit, Division of Municipal Accounts, Augusta, Maine.

Very truly yours,

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By JAMES W. FOWLES, JR.

Clarence O'Brien
West Babylon
N.Y.



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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
LEROY F. WOOD LINWOOD S. HOYT
 WENDELL B. WIGGIN

Superintending School Committee
LESTER E. WOOD ROSCOE C. SPENCER
 J. CARROLL BABB

Superintendent of Schools
LEWIS E. WEBBER

Treasurer and Tax Collector
JOHN O. SANBORN

Road Commissioners
LOREN BURNELL, JR. EDWIN CRAWFORD
 DENNIS SANBORN

Town Forest Fire Warden
ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards
LESTER E. WOOD ALBION MASON
 MURRAY MILLIKEN

Fence Viewers
GUY JONES NEIL WARREN

Health Officer
DR. ANTHONY DIBIASO

Constable
J. HOWARD CARTRET

Excise Tax Collector
JOHN O. SANBORN

REPORT OF 1954 BUDGET COMMITTEE

MRS. HELEN FLINT, Chairman
 MRS. MURIEL HOYT, Secretary
 EVERETT RILEY
 RAYMOND WOOD
 HARRY SANBORN
 MISS DOROTHY SMITH
 NORMAN McKENNEY
 GORDON MILLIKEN
 EDWIN CRAWFORD

Support of poor,	\$ 2,500.00
Roads and bridges,	4,000.00
Miscellaneous,	1,600.00
Cutting bushes,	300.00
State aid construction,	1,066.00
Officers' compensation,	3,000.00
Snow removal,	5,000.00
Memorial Day,	75.00
Cemetery fund,	25.00
1953 overdrafts,	1,500.00
Street lights,	630.00
Town audit,	200.00
Interest on town notes,	1,100.00
Fire companies,	1,200.00
Workmen's compensation,	400.00
East Baldwin Library,	100.00
Note for poor account,	1,500.00
Consolidated school note,	5,000.00
Support of schools,	17,500.00
High school tuition,	7,000.00
Books and supplies,	800.00
Repairs and equipment,	600.00
School lunch,	1,200.00
School insurance,	525.00
Auditorium account,	100.00
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	\$56,921.00

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, required by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Consolidated School, Baldwin, in said town, on the 1st day of March, 1954, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the report of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor. (Recommended by budget committee: \$2,500.00.)

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges. (Recommendation: \$4,000.00.)

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund. (Recommendation: \$1,600.00.)

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads. (Recommendation: \$300.00.)

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944 as amended. (Recommendation: \$1,066.00.)

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation. (Recommendation: \$3,000.00.)

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year. (Recommendation: \$5,000.00.)

Art 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund. (Recommendation: \$75.00.)

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund. (Recommendation: \$25.00.)

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to apply against 1953 overdrafts. (Recommendation: \$1,500.00.)

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year. (Recommendation: \$630.00.)

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year. (Recommendation: \$200.00.)

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1954 taxes.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes. (Recommendation: \$1,100.00.)

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service.

Art. 20. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate any money for the fire companies. (Recommendation: \$1,200.00.)

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for the same. (Recommendation: \$400.00.)

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the public library at East Baldwin. (Recommendation: \$100.00.)

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for civilian defense.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,500.00 to pay note authorized by special town meeting for the poor account. (Recommendation: \$1,500.00.)

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 to improve the Parker Road, so called, leading from State Aid No. 9 to Jesse Decker's.

Art. 27. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to or authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from any money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to have one road commissioner for the entire town beginning in March, 1955.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$750.00 to improve the Wentworth Road, so called, leading from Harl Partridges' building to Prentist Wentworth's.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 to improve the road leading from Burnell Valley Road to Walter Warren's.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar Smut Street, so called.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for annual payment on the school loan. (Recommendation: \$5,000.00.)

Art. 34. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools. (Recommendation: \$17,500.00.)

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition. (Recommendation: \$7,000.00.)

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school books and supplies. (Recommendation: \$800.00.)

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment. (Recommendation: \$600.00.)

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the school lunch program. (Recommendation: \$1,200.00.)

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school insurance. (Recommendation: \$525.00.)

Art. 40. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the auditorium account. (Recommendation: \$100.00.)

Art. 41. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for landscaping the grounds at the Consolidated School.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for playground equipment for the Consolidated School.

Art. 43. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to improve the road from the Burnell Valley Road to Harry Sanborn's.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 1st day of February, 1954.

LEROY F. WOOD,
LINWOOD S. HOYT,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1953.

Respectfully submitted,
 LEROY F. WOOD,
 LINWOOD S. HOYT,
 WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
 Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1953 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1953

Real estate, resident,	\$181,726.00
Personal estate, resident,	44,379.00
Real estate, non-resident,	461,690.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	11,688.00
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Total valuation,	\$699,483.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$57,677.30
County tax,	1,633.71
Overlay,	1,450.53
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Committed to collector,	
including polls,	\$60,761.54
Excise tax collected,	3,555.08
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Total,	\$64,316.62
Extra polls taxed, 6, \$18.00.	
Number of polls taxed, 202.	
Number of polls not taxed, 53.	
Rate of taxation, .086.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

31 horses,	\$2,015.00	
27 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	1,215.00	
124 milch cows,	6,820.00	
19 heifers, over 2 years, not freshened,	665.00	
11 heifers, 18 months to 2 years,	275.00	
7,740 domestic fowl,	3,870.00	
16,875 chicks,	1,524.00	
		<hr/> \$16,384.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

34 cattle, 18 months and younger,	\$680.00	
29 sheep,	290.00	
21 goats,	210.00	
24 swine,	240.00	
1,022 domestic fowl,	511.00	
		<hr/> \$1,931.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 8,622.00	
Logs,	1,200.00	
Lumber,	18,150.00	
Trailers,	2,950.00	
Gasoline pumps,	1,716.00	
Musical instruments,	2,900.00	
Radios,	2,245.00	
Televisions,	1,450.00	
Tractors not excised,	450.00	
Railroad property,	1,100.00	
Light & Power Co.,	363,661.00	
Sawmills,	4,550.00	
Woodworking mill,	20,500.00	
Wood flour mill,	7,000.00	
		<hr/> \$436,494.00

ABATEMENTS

Raymond Bridges, moved away,	\$ 3.00
Rodney Eldridge, moved away,	3.00
Wilbur Harrington, moved away,	5.16

Kenneth Guptill, error,	3.00	
Robert Isaacs, moved away,	3.00	
Ruby F. Hoyt, uncollectable,	3.88	
Gordon Milliken, error,	.86	
Norman Whitney, deceased,	3.00	
Charles Yates, incapacitated,	3.00	
Elsie Benson, error in assessment,	23.22	
Socony Vacuum Co., error in assessment,	12.90	
John Fullerton, uncollectable,	19.36	
Howard Wentworth heirs, error in assessment,	22.80	
		<hr/> \$106.18

SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES

Robert Graffam, poll,	\$ 3.00	
Dana Jacobs, poll,	3.00	
Edward LeBretton, poll,	3.00	
Elwood Milliken, Sr., poll,	3.00	
Verne Neill, poll,	3.00	
Lyndon Ward, poll,	3.00	
F. E. Wood & Sons,	53.76	
		<hr/> \$71.76

UNPAID TAXES

Unpaid taxes as of December 31, 1953, \$3,405.67

Taxes unpaid when town reports went to print:

Resident

Ralph Anderson,	\$ 36.56
Norman Berry,	244.26
R. A. and F. D. Bicknell,	30.42
Gardner Black,	49.88
Yves Barriault,	4.30
Lorraine Barriault,	13.76
Leon Cressey,	8.18
Ralph Cram,	66.22
Abbie Decker,	87.74
Harry Dyer,	18.48
Arthur E. Dyer,	95.46

Jesse Decker,	3.00
Rodney Eldridge,	4.30
Everett Emerson,	62.52
Donald Estes,	8.16
Nelson Estes,	4.30
Lester Frazier,	8.16
William O. Guptill,	6.46
Roderick Henderson,	35.00
Walter S. Hoyt, heirs,	160.40
Charles Harrington,	20.22
Carl Hawkins,	68.38
Leon and Carleton Murch,	95.90
Lester Murch,	8.92
Ellsworth Moore,	11.62
Raymond Murch,	32.68
Sophia Noble, Heirs,	25.38
Herman Noble,	6.02
Chester Noble,	3.02
Veikko Paakkonen,	6.02
Norman Pomerleau,	4.02
Ruell Robbins,	14.62
George E. Sanborn, Heirs,	62.36
Norwood Sanborn,	7.74
Raymond Thombs,	14.62
Olin Thomas,	21.08
Irvin Thombs,	8.60
Rose Thomas,	.86
Glen Verrill,	66.66
Harry Walker,	6.88
Helen Walker,	22.80
Walter Warren,	18.92
Clarence Warren,	30.36
Norman Whitney,	7.74
Lottie Wiley,	24.52
Hazen Wiley,	30.52
Herbert Frost,	3.00
Charles Yates,	88.16
<hr/> \$1,659.18	

Non-Resident

Mrs. Frances Deering,	\$ 37.84
John Jewell,	25.80
William Kenney,	8.60
Katherine Martin,	6.46
Joseph P. Martin,	12.90
Dr. Paul C. Marston,	249.40
Edward Theriault, Heirs,	15.06
	<hr/> \$ 356.06

Total,	\$2,015.24
Taxes received since December 31, 1953,	\$1,390.43

**SUMMARY OF TOTAL ROADS AND BRIDGES
ACCOUNT**

Appropriated by town,	\$4,500.00
Received from State, flood damage,	865.26
New England Metal Culvert Co., dis- count,	4.58
Balance, January 1, 1953,	534.65
	<hr/> \$5,904.49
Expended by Mr. Sanborn,	\$1,486.35
Expended by Mr. Burnell,	1,918.08
Expended by Mr. Crawford,	1,752.22
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Total expenditures,	5,156.65
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Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	\$747.84

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$436.05
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	424.36
Warren Sanborn, tractor,	64.00
Ernest Warren, labor,	3.48
Arnold Day, labor,	17.40
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	20.78
Richard Buzzell, labor,	2.61

Stanley Graffam, labor,	61.77
Arthur Hoyt, labor,	11.31
The Strout Co., shovels,	26.37
Roland Guptill, gravel,	3.40
Charles Black, labor,	55.01
Russell Hoyt, labor,	14.79
Ralph Black, labor,	61.77
Edwin Crawford, truck,	6.50
Edwin Crawford, labor,	9.16
Frank York, labor,	1.74
Carl Hawkins, labor,	1.74
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	17.04
Preston Sanborn, labor,	59.16
John Crawford, labor,	31.32
Raymond Orben, labor,	15.23
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	3.48
Arthur Parker, gravel,	14.30
Everett Smith, labor,	98.00
Bancroft & Martin,	20.29
R. J. Wood, gas and oil,	5.29
	<hr/> \$1,486.35

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Loren Burnell, Jr., commissioner,	\$316.45
Loren Burnell, Jr., truck,	138.33
Loren Burnell, Jr., tractor,	29.99
J. Merle Moore, labor,	155.80
Lawrence Moore, labor,	25.24
Arthur Powers, truck,	54.51
Carl Ridlon, labor,	19.58
Joseph Stokes, labor,	81.58
Percy Estes, labor,	109.39
Mabel Stuart, gravel,	2.20
Edward McNeil, labor,	92.89
Edwin Crawford, labor,	28.80
Edwin Crawford, truck,	16.90
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	282.78
M. P. Fitch, dynamite,	2.15

Everett Davis, labor,	12.42
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	14.92
John Crawford, labor,	6.96
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	7.10
F. E. Wood & Sons,	6.58
Everett Davis, truck,	20.80
Lewis Emery, bulldozer,	54.00
Lewis Lumber Co., gravel,	22.00
Manuel Stacey, bulldozer and shovel,	207.50
Willis Harmon, shovel,	31.44
Everett Smith, labor,	12.42
Raymond Wood, truck,	18.00
John Kelley, gravel,	20.90
John Kelley, lumber,	12.67
John Sanborn, III, labor,	64.38
Willis Harmon, truck,	18.00
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	6.96
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	13.50
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	10.94
	<hr/> \$1,918.08

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	\$249.75
Edwin Crawford, truck,	136.84
Everett Davis, truck,	43.63
Everett Davis, labor,	136.36
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	188.66
Alfred Crawford, labor,	8.70
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	10.52
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	43.00
Frank York, labor,	170.17
Carl Hawkins, labor,	8.70
Lester Murch, labor,	21.32
Raymond Thombs, labor,	6.96
Harland Howard, labor,	9.14
Norman McKenney, labor,	4.35
Norman McKenney, team,	3.48
Arthur Parker, gravel,	20.00
David Brown, gravel,	39.00

Raymond Wood, gas and oil,	1.63	
Gerald Davis, gas and oil,	17.29	
H. F. Partridge, gas and oil,	31.54	
Norman Murch, labor,	55.55	
M. P. Fitch, supplies,	21.65	
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	27.26	
W. H. Shurtleff, calcium chloride,	20.80	
James C. Babb, labor,	6.09	
Loren Burnell, truck,	18.00	
Loren Burnell, labor,	30.30	
Lou Emery, bulldozer,	76.50	
Lou Emery, bulldozer operator,	25.50	
Willis Harmon, shovel,	82.52	
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	32.96	
Manuel Stacey, shovel,	10.00	
Everett Smith, labor,	6.96	
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul-		
verts,	187.09	
		<hr/> \$1,752.22

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00	
Balance January 1, 1953,	317.86	
		<hr/> \$817.86
Loren Burnell, commissioner,	\$49.99	
Loren Burnell, power saw,	7.00	
Merle Moore, labor,	13.05	
Percy Estes, labor,	20.33	
Loren Burnell, truck,	5.00	
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	85.37	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	7.50	
Frank York, labor,	22.98	
John Crawford, labor,	50.75	
Everett Davis, labor,	49.44	
M. P. Fitch, scythes and whetstones,	17.25	
Guy M. Jones, labor,	10.46	
Guy M. Jones, tractor,	19.55	
John O. Sanborn, III, labor,	13.05	
Edward McNeil, labor,	13.05	

Lawrence Hoyt,	26.69	
Jesse Decker, labor,	10.90	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	13.05	
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	26.40	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	10.00	
Everett Smith, labor,	20.88	
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	8.70	
Cornish Hardware, whetstones,	3.95	
Roland Guptill, labor,	15.47	
	<hr/>	520.81

Unexpended balance Decem-
ber 31, 1953, \$297.05

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Apportioned by State,	\$2,785.55	
Town's share gravel,	440.20	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1953,	65.20	
	<hr/>	\$3,290.95

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$180.18
John Crawford, labor,	109.65
John O. Sanborn, III, labor,	55.96
Edwin Crawford, labor,	76.43
Everett Davis, labor,	25.93
Loren Burnell, labor,	92.36
Everett Smith, labor,	95.09
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	94.18
Everett Davis, truck,	51.30
Loren Burnell, truck,	178.20
Edwin Crawford, truck,	140.40
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	390.37
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	198.60
Lou Emery, bulldozer operator,	153.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	422.47
Lou Emery, bulldozer,	459.00
Merle Moore, labor,	14.56
F. E. Wood & Sons, gravel,	313.30
Mrs. Dolly Brown, gravel,	91.90
Dr. R. F. Chase, gravel,	35.00

Arthur Douglass, labor,	7.28	
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	37.24	
Carlton Dolloff, labor,	7.28	
	<hr/>	3,229.68

Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	\$61.27
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STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,066.00	
Received from the State,	2,388.16	
Unexpended balance January 1, 1953,	3.60	
	<hr/>	\$3,457.76

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$ 163.42	
John Crawford, labor,	103.28	
Everett Davis, labor,	51.87	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	62.79	
Everett Smith, labor,	33.67	
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	179.76	
Willis Harmon, shovel,	385.14	
Lou Emery, bulldozer operator,	69.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	37.80	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	54.00	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	49.49	
Lou Emery, bulldozer,	207.00	
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	1,689.16	
Loren Burnell, labor,	19.11	
Arthur Douglass, labor,	20.02	
Carlton Dolloff, labor,	7.28	
Carroll Babb, labor,	7.28	
Loren Burnell, truck,	29.70	
Dennis Sanborn,	3.64	
Wirthmore Feed, cement,	9.05	
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	74.70	
P. R. Boston, tar,	195.00	
	<hr/>	3,452.16

Unexpended balance Decem- ber 1, 1953,	\$5.60
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SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Received from the State,	1,542.82
	<hr/> \$6,542.82
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	\$910.34
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	145.31
Olin Thomas, labor,	32.87
Paul Eldridge, labor,	15.66
Loren Burnell, commissioner,	308.13
Loren Burnell, truck,	199.29
Carroll Edwards, labor,	95.50
Percy Estes, labor,	18.74
Joseph Stokes, labor,	75.14
Raymond Orben, Jr., labor,	3.64
Manuel Stacey, shovel,	132.50
Everett Smith, labor,	38.35
Everett Smith, truck,	30.95
Raymond Ayer, sand,	42.80
Town of Sebago, gravel,	22.10
Edward McNeil, labor,	31.55
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	323.43
Edwin Crawford, truck,	210.32
Frank York, labor,	120.54
Jesse Decker, labor,	20.87
Edson Stacey, labor,	1.74
Everett Davis, labor,	205.08
Everett Davis, truck,	64.66
Kimball Supply, repair parts,	.78
Raymond Thombs, labor,	12.62
Knowlton Machine,	69.14
Strout Co.,	2.70
Raymond Wood,	18.07
Forrest Thorne, labor,	4.79
Files & O'Keefe, repair parts,	369.10
Gerald Davis, gas and oil,	37.82
H. F. Partridge, gas and oil,	59.45
Wood's Garage,	524.74
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	25.38

Montgomery Ward,	117.68
Stanley Graffam, labor,	34.19
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	41.73
Lawrence Hoyt, labor,	6.96
Russell Hoyt, labor,	22.62
Hermon Sanborn, labor,	12.18
Richard Buzzell, labor,	20.44
Norman McKenney, labor,	6.41
Lester Murch, labor,	4.79
Avery Howard, labor,	8.70
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	30.94
Roland Gupstill, labor,	12.00
George Brown, labor,	2.27
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	588.60
Ernest Warren, labor,	17.43
Alfred Crawford, labor,	7.84
John Crawford, labor,	103.38
Walter Murch, labor,	23.66
Stultz Auto. Supply,	24.95
Henry Crawford, labor,	7.28
Carl Ridlon, labor,	58.43
A. T. Hester,	160.68
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	80.33
Carl Hawkins, labor,	18.02
M. P. Fitch, spikes,	1.50
Treasurer of State,	434.00
Elwin McKenney, labor,	58.41
Erwin Smith, labor,	6.96
George Anderson, shovel,	70.00
George Anderson, truck,	28.74
William Andrews,	1.10
Marlo Murch, labor,	21.69
George Anderson, labor,	28.50
Leslie Sanborn, labor,	6.96
Fred Locke, labor,	24.00
	<hr/> 6,267.47
Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	<hr/> \$275.35

HARRIS WOOD'S ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$345.00
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$ 22.55	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	25.39	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	20.70	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	13.48	
Loren Burnell, truck,	4.50	
Loren Burnell, labor,	2.17	
Preston Sanborn, labor,	14.35	
Everett Davis, truck,	7.49	
Everett Davis, labor,	5.21	
John Crawford, labor,	10.87	
Manuel Stacey, shovel,	12.50	
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	4.78	
Koppers Co., tar,	166.43	
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		310.42

Unexpended balance Decem-
ber 31, 1953, \$34.58

WOOD'S MILL ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$500.00
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$ 41.25	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	45.62	
Preston Sanborn, labor,	27.40	
John Crawford, labor,	20.44	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	22.50	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	10.87	
Manuel Stacey, shovel,	55.00	
Loren Burnell, truck,	15.30	
Loren Burnell, labor,	7.39	
Everett Davis, truck,	11.25	
Everett Davis, labor,	7.83	
Raymond Wood, labor,	3.00	
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	3.48	
Koppers Co., tar,	444.47	
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		715.80

Overdraft December 31, 1953, \$215.80

PERCY ROBBINS' ROAD

Appropriated by town,		\$500.00
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 47.85	
Edwin Crawford, truck,	15.80	
Frank York, labor,	6.09	
John Crawford, labor,	31.75	
Raymond Allen, compressor,	80.00	
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	185.50	
M. P. Fitch, dynamite,	61.00	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	29.25	
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	5.22	
Loren Burnell, truck,	13.50	
Loren Burnell, labor,	6.52	
Everett Davis, truck,	11.70	
Everett Smith, labor,	6.09	
	<hr/>	500.27
Overdraft December 31, 1953,		<hr/> \$.27

GENERAL RELIEF

Federal and State laws prohibit printing in the town report the names of those receiving aid from the town who also receive Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind and Aid to Dependent Children and, also, Veterans.

Appropriated by town,	\$2,500.00
Authorized selectmen to hire at special town meeting,	1,500.00
Received from State on Harry Walker, Leon Cressey and Herbert Frost,	651.88
Received from Case No. 1,	266.00
Reimbursed by H. F. Partridge, on Case No. 1,	2.17
Received from Chris Anderson sale of D. Merrill lot,	50.00
Due from Brownfield, Chester Noble,	276.69
Due from State of Maine, Harry Walker,	66.74
	<hr/> \$5,313.48

Chester Noble, groceries and doctor, \$	276.69
Edward McNeil, groceries,	70.10
Harry Walker, groceries and doctor,	179.26
Case No. 1, fuel and board,	722.21
William Walker, groceries and doctor,	253.86
Case No. 2, fuel,	8.00
Case No. 3, groceries and supplies,	342.11
A. D. C. Cases, town's share, 18%,	784.98
Everett Perkins, board and doctor,	226.00
Percy Estes, groceries and doctor,	32.71
Minnie Judkins, doctor, groceries,	
fuel,	288.39
Case No. 8, doctor,	54.00
Charles Ward account, doctor,	7.50
Clarence Harmon, doctor, groceries,	
hospital,	166.62
Case No. 4, groceries,	24.35
Norman Whitney, doctor,	60.80
Ellsworth Moore, groceries, doctor,	
hospital,	185.47
Leon Cressey, doctor, groceries,	185.70
Herbert Frost, doctor, groceries,	132.01
Case No. 5, doctor and care,	2,567.65
Case No. 6, doctor and fuel,	160.50
Case No. 7, groceries,	26.04
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	6,754.95

Overdraft December 31, 1953,	\$1,441.47
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MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Received from Roscoe Spencer, auc- tioneers' license,	2.00
Received from Brown Cemetery Fund,	25.00
Received from State, refund dog license account,	13.91
Received from State, railroad, tele- phone and telegraph tax,	26.57
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	\$1,567.48

Dennis Sanborn, cutting bushes near railroad,	\$ 18.70
Lester Wood, town office supplies,	1.00
Wirthmore Feed Co., town office sup- plies,	2.15
Wirthmore Feed Co., wire and sta- ples for State Aid road,	9.50
Cornish Library Association, rent Superintendent of Schools office,	42.00
U. S. Auto Guide,	7.00
L. W. Somers Co., treasurer's bond,	75.00
Roland Gupstill, moving town chairs,	2.00
Health Clinic, inoculation serum,	5.00
Ernest Bliss, care of Brown Cemetery,	25.00
Consolidated School account, over- draft,	539.85
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	196.95
Central Maine Power Co., town of- fice lights,	2.90
Central Maine Power Co., plow shed lights,	12.03
Selectmen's supplies,	53.19
Wendell Wiggin, telephone, mileage, postage,	174.96
Leroy F. Wood, town office hardware,	7.00
Cleon Dyer, town office repairs,	2.34
West Baldwin Grange, hall rent,	50.00
Raymond L. Wood, greasing road machine,	1.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, cleaning up town dump,	48.75
Carl Usher, Consolidated School fund,	184.74
Maine Municipal Association, yearly dues,	35.00
John O. Sanborn, telephone, mileage, treasurer's expenses,	61.12

New England Telephone & Telegraph, town office phone,	58.58
Chester V. Small, town printing,	305.00
Town Clerk's supplies,	16.43
Town Treasurer's supplies,	53.51
Sebago Forestry Corp., fire patrol,	70.00
Water Analysis,	3.90
Wood's Garage, grader and truck repairs,	17.80
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies for sealer of weights and measures,	7.31
Corliss & Lane, legal advice,	46.00
Leroy F. Wood, telephone, mileage, postage,	93.71
Voting booths,	48.58
Roxa Belle Palmer, real estate transfers,	10.00
Linwood S. Hoyt, telephone, mileage, postage,	1.80
Portland Press Herald, advertising school for sale,	21.12
Saco Valley Garage, repairing Chevrolet truck,	2.00
	<hr/> 2,312.92
Overdraft December 31, 1953,	<hr/> \$745.44

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$630.00
Central Maine Power Co.,	\$630.00

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$3,000.00
John O. Sanborn, treasurer, tax collector, and excise tax collector,	\$839.60
Wendell Wiggin, selectman,	692.24
Leroy Wood, selectman,	336.15

Linwood Hoyt, selectman,	185.25
Lewis E. Webber, superintendent of schools,	795.88
Roscoe Spencer, school committee,	50.00
Carroll Babb, school committee,	50.00
Lester Wood, school committee,	50.00
Roscoe Spencer, moderator,	10.00
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	12.00
Frank Hodgdon, ballot clerk,	6.00
Ada McKenney, ballot clerk,	6.00
Dr. Anthony DiBiaso, health officer,	25.00
J. Howard Cartret, constable,	25.00
Ida Ward, town clerk,	90.00
	<hr/> 3,173.12

Overdraft December 31, 1953,	\$173.12
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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by town,	\$300.00
J. Everett Riley,	392.36

Overdraft December 31, 1953,	\$92.36
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BLISTER RUST

Selectmen of Baldwin,

Baldwin, Maine.

Dear Sirs:

I am pleased to furnish you with a report on the white pine blister rust control work performed in Baldwin this year.

We completed the coverage of the town and no further work will be necessary for a few years. We covered 11,738 acres to protect 8,072 acres of pine, most of which is young growing stock. We found and destroyed 2,171 wild currant and gooseberry bushes and 65 cultivated bushes. To do this work we spent \$393.60 of Town of Baldwin funds and \$351.15 of federal funds, in addition all transportation was furnished by the federal government.

In general the area where the most bushes were found and where the most infection occurred was in that corner of the town near South East Pond. In that area I recommend that five years hence in 1958 that about 1,500 acres be closely rechecked. Other areas of the town can probably safely go until 1963, at which time the rest of the town should be carefully looked over.

I wish to express my appreciation to you and to the townspeople for the cooperation we received in this work.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH B. PIKE, JR.

Appropriated by the town,	\$400.00	
Apportioned by the State,	351.15	
	<hr/>	\$751.15
Herbert Allen, foreman,	\$108.00	
Richard Allen, labor,	64.80	
Bruce Chalmers, labor,	79.20	
Horace Flint, labor,	64.80	
Packard Gleason, labor,	76.80	
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Paid by State,	351.15	
	\$393.60	
	<hr/>	744.75
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Unexpended balance Decem-		
ber 31, 1953,		\$6.40

NORTH BALDWIN PLOW SHED

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 20.90
Edwin Crawford, truck,	19.40
Everett Davis, labor,	10.76
John Crawford, labor,	25.31
M. P. Fitch, spikes and hardware,	29.60
Loren Burnell, truck,	14.40

Loren Burnell, labor,	7.28	
Everett Davis, truck,	14.40	
Frank York, labor,	21.83	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	18.00	
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	7.28	
Dwight Greene, labor,	83.46	
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	113.33	
Manuel Stacey, shovel,	40.00	
H. F. Partridge, door and hardware,	102.77	
Hawkes Lumber Co., lumber,	31.42	
	<hr/>	560.14

Overdraft December 31, 1953,	\$60.14
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INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,100.00
Paid interest on all town notes,	1,110.79

Overdraft December 31, 1953,	\$10.79
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ANTICIPATION OF TAX NOTES

Borrowed, Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$15,000.00
Borrowed, Kezar Falls National Bank,	5,000.00
Borrowed, Kezar Falls National Bank,	10,000.00
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	\$30,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$30,000.00

TOWN AUDIT

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
Paid Graffam Accounting Service,	\$200.00

ROAD MACHINE REPAIR

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
Saco Valley Garage,	\$200.00

WARD'S HILL ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$250.00
Paid Manuel Stacey, bulldozer,	\$250.00

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00

EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY FUND

Appropriated by town,	\$200.00
Paid treasurer, East Baldwin Library,	\$200.00

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FENCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$100.00

MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00
Paid Williams-Goodwin Post,	\$75.00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Ellie K. Hawes, county treasurer,	\$1,633.71
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HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid State Health and Welfare Department,	\$100.00

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,200.00
Paid West Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$400.00
Paid East Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
Paid North Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
	<hr/> \$1,200.00

NOTE, CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL LOAN

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$5,000.00

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$2,186.30
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$2,186.30

OVERDRAFT FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,000.00
Applied to Consolidated School Fund Over-	
draft,	\$1,000.00

TOWN DUMP

Appropriated by the town,	\$250.00
Unexpended balance December 31, 1953,	\$250.00

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1953,	\$13,722.93
From Building Committee Fund	
balance,	45.18
From appropriation for 1952 over-	
drafts,	1,000.00
From miscellaneous account,	539.85
Check, Philip Brooks, Inc.,	10.00
	<hr/> \$15,317.96
Vinal Good, legal advice,	\$ 50.00
Scarboro Electric Service,	103.50
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	70.23
Paris Manufacturing Co., school	
desks and chairs,	2,205.31
Thomas R. Marland, contractor,	11,962.97
William O. Armitage, architect,	920.95
Donald T. Flint, legal advice,	5.00
	<hr/> \$15,317.96

GENERAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT**Resources**

Appropriated by the town,	\$16,000.00
Balance January 1, 1953,	4,011.88
Rinehart Writing System, appro-	
priation,	300.00
From State School Fund,	4,379.90
Thomas Marland, refund,	22.94
Olive Brown, refund,	.45
Gladys Cartret, refund,	.33
Town of Porter, supplies,	5.89
	<hr/> \$24,721.39

Expenses

Teaching,	\$10,327.36
Fuel,	1,067.72
Janitor,	2,429.34
Conveyance,	4,351.39
Utilities,	763.96
Elementary tuition,	687.75
	<hr/> 19,627.52
Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	<hr/> \$5,093.87

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Flora Carpenter,	\$ 602.83
Gladys Cartret,	1,596.66
Louise Gray,	1,524.23
Muriel Hoyt,	1,656.23
Maxine Pierce,	1,313.95
Ida Ward,	1,577.31
Nellie Black,	112.00
Dorothy Davis,	24.00
Helen Stickney,	15.20
Rinehart Writing System,	300.00
Treasurer of State, T. R. F.,	445.95
Collector of Internal Revenue,	1,159.00
	<hr/> \$10,327.36

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Sebago,	\$687.75
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JANITOR

Cleon Dyer, janitor,	\$1,433.10
Collector of Internal Revenue,	184.70
W. M. Burnell,	5.00
Luxor Lighting,	.98
William Gupitill,	8.00
Bailey's Store,	1.25
Norton Hardware,	5.49
Milton Bradley,	112.77

Sani-Clean, Dist.,	154.02
Cornish and Kezar Falls Power Co.,	14.75
H. F. Partridge,	1.45
Roland Guptill,	45.50
Woodfords Hardware,	1.49
M. P. Fitch,	15.14
J. I. Holcomb,	388.16
Masury Young,	14.16
Town of Porter,	21.18
Collector of Internal Revenue,	22.20
	<hr/> \$2,429.34

CONVEYANCE

Anita Eldridge,	\$1,211.80
Ada McKenney,	1,271.04
Arthur Richards,	175.00
Thelma Warren,	1,562.62
Treasurer State of Maine,	3.43
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	127.50
	<hr/> \$4,351.39

FUEL

Jewett & Gunter,	\$1,067.72
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UTILITIES

Lewis E. Webber,	\$ 52.70
New England Telephone and Tele- graph,	57.84
Central Maine Power Co.,	653.42
	<hr/> \$763.96

SCHOOL INSURANCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$750.00
Balance January 1, 1953,	3.50
Insurance dividend,	6.92
	<hr/> \$760.42
Paid J. Everett Riley, insurance,	705.23
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Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	\$55.19

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT

Sale Pigeon Brook School,	\$225.00
Unexpended balance December 31, 1953,	\$225.00

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriated by the town,	\$700.00	
Balance January 1, 1953,	51.67	
From State subsidy,	223.00	
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		\$974.67
Arundel Print Shop,	\$ 1.92	
Robert Ross,	1.11	
Lewis Webber,	20.73	
Allyn & Bacon,	23.02	
Gledhill Bros.,	105.54	
American Educational Press,	43.25	
Webster Publishing Co.,	9.56	
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	5.82	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	79.93	
Scott-Foresman Co.,	122.77	
Discount Martin,	.80	
Beckley & Cardy Co.,	12.05	
Chester Small,	14.15	
Laidlaw Bros.,	85.28	
Charles Merrill,	3.48	
Beaudette and Co.,	16.20	
Loring, Short and Harmon,	1.44	
Ginn & Co.,	69.32	
E. M. Hale Co.,	16.80	
Continental Press,	3.81	
Follette Publishing Co.,	77.03	
World Book Co.,	24.25	
Milton Bradley Co.,	7.78	
Silver, Burdette Co.,	59.41	
C. A. Gregory,	.48	
Mainco Trading Co.,	51.93	
Kenworthy Educational Co.,	4.40	
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		862.26
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Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,		\$112.41

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Resources**

Appropriated by the town,	\$4,200.00
Balance January 1, 1953,	1,247.21
Town of Sebago, refund,	82.50
From State subsidy,	800.00
From treasurer of State for State Ward,	136.00
	<hr/> \$6,465.71

Expenses

Town of Standish,	\$ 750.00
Town of Sebago,	2,400.00
City of Westbrook,	120.24
Fryeburg Academy,	2,133.94
	<hr/> 5,404.18

Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	<hr/> \$1,061.53
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REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Balance January 1, 1953,	408.80
Gladys Cartret, from Baldwin school fund,	300.00
Flora Carpenter, from piano fund,	67.00
North Baldwin Church, sale of clock,	7.00
Norman Berry, sale of stove,	10.00
West Baldwin P. T. A., trays,	53.00
North and East P. T. A., trays,	47.75
West Baldwin piano collection,	19.30
Town of Porter, equipment,	10.00
Hazel Estabrook, slate,	4.00
Edwin Crawford, sink,	5.00
	<hr/> \$1,431.85
Maine Surplus Sales,	\$147.51
Woodfords Hardware,	3.95
Maine Fabrix Material Co.,	27.50

Norton Hardware,	2.65
John Chapman,	.40
F. E. Wood & Sons,	20.50
Cornish-Kezar Falls Power Co.,	2.25
J. L. Hammett Co.,	9.07
Scarboro Electric Co.,	26.05
Gledhill Bros.	22.13
Arundel Print Shop,	4.49
Sani-Clean,	244.55
Cleon Dyer,	11.22
L. C. Andrew,	39.91
Arthur Stevens,	100.00
Dennis Sanborn,	14.40
Ralph Black,	4.00
Charles Black,	4.00
Beaudette and Co.,	145.00
M. P. Fitch,	21.27
Roland Guptill,	2.00
Wirthmore Feed,	15.00
Harold Halpert,	44.01
Wood's Garage,	41.05
Randall & McAllister,	10.50
Keene's Hardware,	2.68
Paris Manufacturing Co.,	200.05
	<hr/> 1,166.14
Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,	<hr/> \$265.71

SCHOOL LUNCH

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Balance January 1, 1953,	387.00
From U. D. A.,	201.83
	<hr/> \$2,088.83
Ada McKenney, cook,	\$840.00
Eleanor Murch, assistant cook,	140.00
Olive Brown, assistant cook,	420.00
L. W. Knight, equipment,	1.18

Sam's Place, equipment,	1.30	
Baldwin School Lunch,	201.83	
	<hr/>	1,604.31
Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,		<hr/> \$484.52

AUDITORIUM ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town, for chairs,	\$750.00	
Appropriated by the town, for audi- torium expenses,	100.00	
Baldwin Legion,	4.00	
Mrs. Kendrick Sawyer,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$858.00
Paid Paris Manufacturing Co. for auditorium chairs,		<hr/> 749.66
Unexpended balance Decem- ber 31, 1953,		<hr/> \$108.34

ANNUAL REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE – 1953

During the past year, Baldwin has continued to support a Public Health Nursing Program in which service was given by the nurse to the individual family and community.

Some families have been contacted by the nurse at the request of the family physician with definite recommendations made by him and other families have come to the attention of the nurse through routine visits.

Visits have been made to instruct mothers and prospective mothers in the hygiene of maternity and infancy and in some instances to demonstrate care.

Visits have been made to children with orthopedic or heart defects in order to acquaint the family with the resources available. As always, we are anxious to direct parents to the community and State resources which may assist them in obtaining necessary help, such as the Crippled Children's and Cardiac Clinics held under the direction of the State.

Too, home visits have been made to assist parents to secure competent medical care on health problems discussed at school.

In February, 72 school children were tested with the audiometer for any hearing loss. It is planned to use the audiometer in the school every two years for those children in the fourth grade and above.

In November, Dr. DiBiaso, Health Officer, assisted by the nurse held the first in a series of Immunization Clinics. At this clinic, 39 pre-school and school children received booster doses of diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough and 32 were vaccinated or re-vaccinated against smallpox. The series of clinics will be completed in January.

Realizing that the Child Health Conference has shown itself to be an effective means of providing health supervision for those infants, and pre-school not under private care, plans have been made to hold monthly conferences starting the latter part of February or the 1st of March and continuing through the summer months if the attendance will warrant it.

It is also a recognized fact that a well rounded school health program provides a physical examination for each child at least four times during his school life, if he is not being checked by his family physician. It is most desirable that parents be present, as this provides an excellent opportunity for conference with the doctor nurse, and sometimes the teacher regarding the child's welfare.

In planning ahead, let us hope that such a program may be made possible in Baldwin.

I take this opportunity to thank those persons who in any way assisted with the program last year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS, R. N.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin:

I submit the following report:

As in the past years the five point program of singing, playing, creating, listening and dancing is being carried out from week to week with satisfying results.

Rote Songs are used for the first grade, while learning to follow words and music is the work of the second and third grades with syllable reading started at the third grade level.

Grades four and five are doing very good work. They have started two-part music and already show promise of good results. Their quality of tone is most pleasing.

Grades six, seven and eight are divided into two classes. Each class comes to the Auditorium for its music. Three and four-part music is the goal for these grades and they are doing well. Special work in theory is given.

If it is at all possible to get a balanced group of singers from these upper grades I hope to have them sing at the State Festival in May.

A new three-speed victrola with loud speaker and microphone has been purchased with money realized from last spring's programs.

Last spring through the efforts of teachers and friends of the school, enough money was given to purchase a piano for the Auditorium. Please accept my grateful thanks for your wonderful cooperation. It is gestures, such as these, that keep a school system active and alive.

Parents and friends of the school are cordially invited to visit the various classes and activities at any time.

To the teachers, I extend my thanks for their fine cooperation, sustained interest and excellent results which they have made possible.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. FLORA R. CARPENTER,

Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF FIRE COMPANIES

WEST BALDWIN FIRE CO.

Cash on hand January 1, 1953,	\$294.22
Donation from town,	400.00
1 donation, R. F. Chase,	200.00
Donations, miscellaneous,	63.43
Membership dues,	66.00
Activities,	342.64
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Total received,	\$1,366.29
To equipment repairs,	\$ 14.30
To equipment for building,	681.54
To general expense,	415.64
To cash on hand January 1, 1954,	254.81
	<hr/> \$1,366.29

NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.

Report from January 1, 1953, to January 19, 1954

Cash on hand January 1, 1953,	\$767.34
Dues received,	36.00
Appropriated by town,	400.00
Activities,	162.15
Contributed by members,	47.84
	<hr/> \$1,413.33

Disbursements

Lights,	\$ 12.15
Fuel,	16.56
Insurance on building, men and truck,	157.20
New equipment, building and truck,	463.66
Maintenance, truck and equipment,	64.74
General expenses,	32.21
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Total expenses,	\$746.52
Unexpended balance January 18, 1954,	666.81
	<hr/> \$1,413.33
Estimated value of equipment on order,	\$275.00

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY M. SMITH, Secretary,

EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY

Cash on hand January 22, 1953, \$125.14

Received from:

Dues,	25.00	
Activities,	174.00	
Donations,	10.00	
Town of Baldwin,	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$734.14

Expenses paid:

Insurance, building, men and truck,	\$187.53	
Oil for heat,	89.94	
Repairs, improvements to building,	327.84	
Miscellaneous,	42.49	
Cash on hand January 22, 1954,	86.34	
	<hr/>	\$734.14

The past year we have finished the interior of the firehouse. We have given both the interior and the exterior two coats of paint, as well as other minor improvements. This year we hope to do something about the heating arrangements.

We were called out for a grass fire twice for slash and lumber operations; a fire at the Lovejoy residence and at Wood's Garage.

Respectfully submitted,

M. F. TRIPP, JR.,

Secretary.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State, \$99.90

VITAL STATISTICS

Number of births recorded, 17

Number of marriages recorded, 8

DEATHS

January 3, in Bridgton, Abbie Ela Noble.

April 4, in Westbrook, Evelyn S. Weeks.

May 1, in Westbrook, Jennie L. Kelly.

May 12, in Bethel, Myrna L. York.

June 14, in Yarmouth, Sadie Welch Burnell.

August 28, in Baldwin, Wilson Burnell.

October 5, in Baldwin, Frank O. Guptill.

November 3, in Portland, Norman Whitney.

November 7, in Baldwin, John Prentiss Wentworth.

December 21, in Massachusetts, Ivory E. Burnell.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin
Year Ending December 31, 1953

Taxes:

Current year,	\$57,323.61	
Prior years,	2,818.44	
Excise taxes,	3,555.08	
Liens paid during the year,	44.56	
	—————	\$ 63,741.69

State grants:

School maintenance,	\$5,538.90	
School lunch,	201.83	
Highways,	7,581.79	
Health and welfare,	917.88	
Bank stock tax,	12.42	
Dog tax refund,	13.91	
Railroad and telegraph tax,	26.57	
	—————	14,293.30

Temporary loans,	\$30,000.00	
Kezar Falls National Bank, loan authorized at special town meeting one year,	1,500.00	
	—————	31,500.00

Other receipts:

Gladys Cartret, treasurer, Baldwin School fund, in- terest,	\$300.00
Flora Carpenter, piano fund,	67.00
Olive Sanborn, piano fund,	19.30
School lunch, West Baldwin P. T. A.,	53.00
Muriel Hoyt, collected for trays,	47.75
Town of Sebago, tuition refund,	82.50
School property sold,	261.00

Interest on Brown Cemetery bond,	25.00	
Christian Anderson, sale Merrill lot,	50.00	
Several small amounts,	53.28	
	<hr/>	958.83
Cash balance January 1, 1953,		10,675.80
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Total cash to be accounted for,		\$121,169.62

Disbursements

Selectmen's warrants,	\$106,232.11	
Transferred to Consolidated School fund, \$1,539.85 and \$45.18,	1,585.03	
Cash on hand and in deposit,	13,352.48	
	<hr/>	\$121,169.62

JOHN O. SANBORN,
Treasurer.

ACCOUNTS HELD IN TRUST

Brown Cemetery Fund

U. S. Saving Bond, Series G, 2½ % interest, \$1,000.00

Deacon's Fountain Fund

Town of Baldwin, Me., U. S. Savings Bond, Series F, October 1, 1953, due October 1, 1955, not transferrable,	\$500.00
Maine Savings Bank, Portland, Maine, cash	153.71
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	\$653.71

JOHN O. SANBORN,
Treasurer.

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL ACCOUNT

With Canal National Bank

Receipts

Cash balance January 1, 1953,	\$13,722.93
Transfer balance Building Committee fund,	45.18
Check deposited February 13, 1953,	10.00
Cash from General Fund,	1,539.85
	<hr/> \$15,317.96

Disbursements

January 10, 1953, Vinal Good, legal services, Building Committee, \$	50.00
January 10, 1953, Paris Mfg. Co., desks and chairs,	2,205.31
January 24, 1953, Scarboro Electric Inc., additional conduit,	103.50
February 10, 1953, Donald Flint, legal service to Building Committee,	5.00
February 10, 1953, William O. Armitage, balance due on plans,	920.95
February 11, 1953, transferred to Kezar Falls Bank amount paid for fire extinguishers,	70.23
February 13, 1953, Thomas R. Marland, full payment of contract,	11,962.97
	<hr/> \$15,317.96
Cash balance December 31, 1953,	None

JOHN O. SANBORN,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1953

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

In submitting the annual report of the superintendent of schools it is proposed to discuss briefly several items which it is believed to be of interest to you.

The faculty remained intact for the start of the school year last September. However, Mrs. Louise Gray was granted a leave of absence following the recent Christmas vacation and Mrs. Etta Bradeen of Cornish has been assigned as her substitute.

The enrollment totals in the elementary grades continue to follow an irregular pattern with no definite trend to be determined.

The number of high school students has remained relatively stable for three years, but the indications are for a sizeable increase next year.

The following tables are presented to show teachers, grade assignments and enrollments. The data is as of December first, annually.

I. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DATA

Teachers	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Etta Bradeen,	24	3							27
Maxine Pierce,		7	16						23
Muriel Hoyt,				15	10				25
Gladys Cartret,						17	9		26
Ida Ward,							10	18	28
1953-54 totals,	24	10	16	15	10	17	19	18	129
1952-53 totals,	10	16	14	11	17	19	16	11	114
1951-52 totals,	17	20	16	17	23	17	11	14	135

II. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

School	51-52	52-53	53-54
Fryeburg Academy,	10	9	6
Potter Academy,	10	11	14
Standish High,	5	6	6
Westbrook High,	0	0	1
Total,	25	26	27

During the first year of occupancy, the Consolidated School has been supplied with auditorium chairs, stage curtains, a liquid duplicator, a floor machine, an additional piano, lunch trays and miscellaneous playground equipment. Some of the funds for these things were made available through the generosity of many citizens who gave donations, and the efforts of the P. T. A. These helps were sincerely appreciated.

The major need for the coming year is improvement of the school grounds. A special article in the town warrant will afford an opportunity for the town to express itself on this problem.

Additional playground equipment is desirable. This item will also be covered by a special article.

In the regular budget, there is an allowance towards the expenses of exchanging the school lunch electric range for a more sturdy type. It is anticipated that the balance of funds needed for this exchange will come partly from the sale of the present stove and partly from an accumulated balance in the school lunch "food" account.

A new State Minimum Salary Schedule goes into effect in the fall of 1954, and will make it necessary to increase the pay of some teachers. A town failing to pay its teachers the required minimum has the amount of its delinquency deducted from the State Subsidy. This, obviously, is to make it unprofitable for a town to refuse to grant the stated increases. The State Schedule is as follows:

III. STATE SALARY SCHEDULE

Years of Experience	2 Years Training	3 Years Training	4 Years Training	5 Years Training
0	\$1,600.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00
1	1,700.00	2,100.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
2	1,800.00	2,200.00	2,600.00	2,600.00
3	1,900.00	2,300.00	2,700.00	2,700.00
4		2,400.00	2,800.00	2,800.00
5			2,900.00	2,900.00
6			3,000.00	3,000.00
7			3,100.00	3,100.00
8			3,200.00	3,200.00
9				3,300.00
10				3,400.00
11				3,500.00
12				3,600.00

Apropos to the matter of teachers, salaries, etc., it can not be emphasized too strongly that capable, well-qualified, efficient teachers are becoming increasingly more difficult to obtain.

Three items make it necessary to increase the appropriation request by nearly \$3,000.00. Salary increases, a jump in tuition costs, and an anticipated extension of the conveyance routes are the major factors affecting the budget needs, with tuition the largest single item.

High School tuition is expected to cost \$2,700.00 more than last year. This is due largely to the fact that of this year's 27 high school students, only 5 are seniors, whereas there are 18 pupils in the present eighth grade. This shows a potential increase of 13 students next year. Higher tuition fees also affect this budget item.

The over-all cost and appropriation picture is presented in the two tables that follow:

IV. COMPARATIVE EXPENDITURES

Account	1952	1953	1954 (Estimated)
Elementary Maintenance:			
Instruction,	\$10,198.69	\$10,327.36	\$11,871.00
Fuel,	590.16	1,067.72	1,050.00
Janitor,	1,458.54	2,429.34	2,390.00
Conveyance,	4,763.54	4,351.39	5,443.00
Utilities,	299.65	763.96	750.00
Tuition,	488.43	687.75	750.00
Maintenance totals,	\$17,799.01	\$19,627.52	\$22,254.00
Books and supplies,	\$ 931.68	\$ 862.26	\$ 1,000.00
Repairs and equipment,	318.98	1,166.14	700.00
Auditorium account,		749.66	100.00
School lunch,	596.16	1,604.31	1,480.00
Insurance,	496.50	705.23	562.00
Elementary totals,	\$20,142.33	\$24,715.12	\$26,096.00
High school tuition,	4,687.27	5,404.18	8,104.00
Grand totals,	\$24,829.60	\$30,119.30	\$34,200.00

V. COMPARATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Account	1952	1953	1954 (Proposed)
Elementary school,	\$14,150.00	\$16,300.00	\$17,500.00
Books and supplies,	700.00	700.00	800.00
Repairs and equipment,	300.00	500.00	600.00
Insurance,	500.00	750.00	525.00
School lunch,	375.00	1,500.00	12,000.00
Rinehart Writing,	(Included in Elementary Account)		
H. S. Tuition,	4,200.00	4,200.00	7,000.00
Auditorium,		850.00	100.00
Totals,	\$20,225.00	\$24,800.00	\$27,725.00

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to express sincere thanks and appreciation to the many Baldwin citizens who have been loyal supporters of the school program during the years I have had the privilege of serving your school system. The whole-hearted cooperation exhibited by so many of you has been most encouraging in the struggle for progress. It has been a pleasure to have been associated with your school committees, budget committees, and town officials, and to have participated in your town meetings. You have my heart-felt thanks and best wishes.

Most sincerely,

LEWIS E. WEBBER,
Acting Superintendent.

BALDWIN FINANCIAL REPORT

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1953

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$4,011.88
1953 appropriation,	16,000.00
1953 State subsidy,	4,279.90
Professional credit subsidy,	100.00
Rinehart Handwriting appropriation,	300.00

Thomas Marland, refund,	22.94	
Olive Brown, refund,	.45	
Gladys Cartret, refund,	.33	
Town of Porter, supplies,	5.89	
	<hr/>	\$24,721.39

Expenses

Instruction,	\$10,327.36	
Fuel,	1,067.72	
Janitor,	2,429.34	
Conveyance,	4,351.39	
Utilities,	763.96	
Tuition,	687.75	

	<hr/>	\$19,627.52
Unexpended this year,	5,093.87	
	<hr/>	\$24,721.39

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 51.67	
1953 appropriation,	700.00	
1953 State subsidy,	223.00	
	<hr/>	\$974.67

Expenses

Textbooks,	\$548.85	
Supplies,	313.41	
	<hr/>	\$862.26
Unexpended this year,	112.41	
	<hr/>	\$974.67

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 387.00	
1953 appropriation,	1,500.00	
U. S. D. A. payments,	201.83	
	<hr/>	\$2,088.83

Expenses

Ada McKenney, cook,	\$ 840.00	
Olive Brown, cook,	420.00	

Eleanor Murch, cook,	140.00
L. W. Knight, equipment,	1.18
Sam's Place, equipment,	1.30
Baldwin School Lunch Program, U.	
S. D. A. payments,	201.83
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	\$1,604.31
Unexpended this year,	484.52
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	\$2,088.83

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$408.80
1953 appropriation,	500.00
Gladys Cartret, Baldwin School Fund,	300.00
Flora Carpenter, piano fund,	67.00
North Baldwin Church, clock,	7.00
Norman Berry, stove,	10.00
West Baldwin P. T. A., trays,	53.00
N. & E. Baldwin P. T. A.'s, trays,	47.75
West Baldwin collections, piano,	19.30
Town of Porter, equipment,	10.00
Hazel Estabrook, slate,	4.00
Edwin Crawford, sink,	5.00
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	\$1,431.85

Expenses

Repairs,	\$ 237.14
Equipment,	929.00
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	\$1,166.14
Unexpended this year,	265.71
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	\$1,431.85

INSURANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 3.50
1953 appropriation,	750.00
National Grange Mutual Liability,	
dividend,	6.92
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	\$760.42

Expenses

Fire insurance,	\$688.31	
Liability insurance,	16.92	
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	\$705.23	
Unexpended this year,	55.19	
	<hr/>	\$760.42

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$1,247.21	
1953 appropriation,	4,200.00	
Town of Sebago, refund,	82.50	
1953 State subsidy,	800.00	
Treasurer, State of Maine,	136.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,465.71

Expenses

Town of Standish,	\$ 750.00	
Town of Sebago,	2,400.00	
City of Westbrook,	120.24	
Fryeburg Academy,	2,133.94	
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	\$5,404.18	
Unexpended this year,	1,061.53	
	<hr/>	\$6,465.71

AUDITORIUM ACCOUNT**Receipts**

Appropriation for chairs,	\$750.00	
Appropriation for expenses,	100.00	
Baldwin American Legion,	4.00	
Mrs. Kendrick Sawyer,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$858.00

Expenses

Paris Mfg. Co., chairs,	\$749.66	
Unexpended this year,	108.34	
	<hr/>	\$858.00

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT**Receipts**

Sale of Pigeon Brook School,	\$225.00	
	<hr/>	\$225.00

Expenses

No expenditures.		
Unexpended this year,	\$225.00	
	<hr/>	\$225.00

AUDITOR'S REPORT

January Twenty-Five

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Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin,
Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1953, and, submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedules reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the end of the year.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment.

Exhibit "B" Balance Sheet.

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations.

Exhibit "D" Analysis of General Revenue Fund Surplus.

Schedule 1 Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements.

Schedule 2 Statement of Trust Funds.

Schedule 3 Consolidated School Building Fund.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the Treasurer, Collector and Selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1953. We ascertained that all cash shown to have been received by these officials had been properly accounted for, that

all disbursements appear to be proper and made such other tests as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at December 31, 1953, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By FRED R. GOULD,

Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT "B"

BALANCE SHEET

TOWN OF BALDWIN

Year Ended December 31, 1953

Assets

General fund:

Current assets:

Cash,	\$13,397.66	
Uncollected taxes,	4,676.32	
Uncollected tax liens,	219.24	
Accounts receivable,	343.43	
	<hr/>	\$18,636.65
Deferred appropriation,		1,500.00

Total assets general fund	<hr/>	\$20,136.65
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Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable invested in construction,	<hr/>	\$27,500.00
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Trust funds invested:

Hannah Woodman fund,	\$1,000.00
Deacons Fountain fund,	657.56

Total trust funds,	\$1,657.56
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$49,294.21
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Liabilities and Reserve

General fund liabilities:

Notes payable,	\$ 1,500.00
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Reserves:

School funds (Exhibit C),	\$7,406.57
Excise taxes prepaid,	246.99
	<hr/> 7,653.56

Surplus (Exhibit D),	10,983.09
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Total liabilities, reserves and surplus,	\$20,136.65
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Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable,	\$27,500.00
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Trust funds principal,	\$1,657.56
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Total liabilities, reserves, surplus and trust funds,	\$49,294.21
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EXHIBIT "D"

**ANALYSIS OF GENERAL REVENUE FUND
SURPLUS**

TOWN OF BALDWIN**For the Year Ended December 31, 1953**

Balance January 1, 1953,	\$ 6,459.56
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Additions:

Appropriations unexpended,	\$2,466.75
Notes payable liquidated through appropriations,	2,186.30
	<hr/> 4,653.05

	\$11,112.61
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Deductions:	
Abatements,	\$104.02
Adjustment prior year appropriation balance,	25.50
	<hr/> 129.52
Balance December 31, 1953,	<hr/> \$10,983.09

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

January Twenty-Seven
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Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin,
Baldwin, Maine

Gentlemen:

Complying with the Public Laws of 1945, Chapter 84, Section 119, we are mailing one copy of the audit report to the State Department of Audit, Division of Municipal Accounts, Augusta, Maine.

Very truly yours,

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By FRED R. GOULD.

Clarence & Brown
Grand Belknap
Mre.



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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
LEROY F. WOOD WENDELL B. WIGGIN
ROSCOE C. SPENCER

Superintending School Committee
ROSCOE C. SPENCER J. CARROLL BABB
LESTER E. WOOD

Superintendent of Schools
CARROLL B. RONCO

Treasurer
JOHN O. SANBORN

Tax Collector
RAYMOND L. WOOD

Excise Tax Collector
HARRY F. WARD

Road Commissioners
JOHN H. CRAWFORD, JR. ROGER RILEY
DENNIS SANBORN

Town Forest Fire Warden
ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards
LESTER E. WOOD MURRAY MILLIKEN
ALBION MASON

Fence Viewers
NEIL WARREN GUY JONES

Health Officer
DR. ANTHONY DiBIASO

Constable
J. HOWARD CARTRET

SUGGESTED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1955

Recommended by the Selectmen

Article 4.	Support of poor,	\$ 2,500.00
Article 5.	Roads and bridges,	4,500.00
Article 6.	Miscellaneous fund,	1,600.00
Article 7.	Cutting bushes on town roads,	300.00
Article 8.	State aid road,	1,066.00
Article 10.	Officers' compensation,	3,250.00
Article 11.	Snow removal,	5,000.00
Article 12.	Memorial Day fund,	75.00
Article 13.	Cemetery fund,	25.00
Article 14.	Street lights,	622.00
Article 15.	Interest on town loans and notes,	1,000.00
Article 16.	Audit,	275.00
Article 18.	Public health nurse,	100.00
Article 20.	Fire companies,	1,200.00
Article 21.	Workmen's compensation,	100.00
Article 22.	East Baldwin library,	100.00
Article 23.	Civilian defense,	100.00
Article 28.	Lawsuit account,	1,060.76
Article 35.	School loan note,	5,000.00
Article 36.	Support of schools,	17,400.00
Article 37.	High school tuition,	8,950.00
Article 38.	School books and supplies,	650.00
Article 39.	School repairs and equipment,	400.00
Article 40.	School lunch,	1,480.00
Article 41.	School insurance,	475.00
Article 44.	Physical exams for school children,	100.00
Article 45.	Revaluation fund,	1,500.00

TOWN WARRANT

To J. Howard Cartret, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, required by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Consolidated School, Baldwin, in said town, on the 7th day of March, 1955, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the report of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on town roads.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944 as amended.

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1955 taxes.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service.

Art. 19. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, of the Revised Statutes of 1954.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the fire companies.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to take out workmen's compensation and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the library at East Baldwin.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for civilian defense.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repaying the \$10,000 loan brought about by the hurricane.

Art. 25. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to or authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to have one road commissioner for the entire town beginning in March, 1956.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,060.76 to finish paying legal expenses brought about by the lawsuit with the Central Maine Power Company.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar Smut Street, so-called.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$800.00 to tar the section of the Murch Road, so-called, from Route 107 to Norman McKenney's driveway. This road was surfaced and prepared for tarring with State funds.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$300.00 to improve the Wendell Wiggin Road, so-called, leading from State aid, No. 9, to Wendell Wiggin's.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to improve the Anderson Road, so-called, leading from Route 113 to Christian Anderson's.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to take out social security on town employees.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for tarring the Wood's Mill Road, so-called, leading from Route 11 to Wood's Mill.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for the annual payment on the school loan.

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school books and supplies.

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment.

Art. 40. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the school lunch program.

Art. 41. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school insurance.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the auditorium account.

Art. 43. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for landscaping the grounds at the Consolidated School.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for physical examinations for the school children.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to increase the fund for re-valuing the town.

Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to buy and install metal culverts for the Sand Pond Road.

Art. 47. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell the West Baldwin schoolhouse in the following manner. To give a warranty deed and to take a mortgage deed.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 5th day of February, 1955.

LEROY F. WOOD,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
ROSCOE C. SPENCER,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1954.

Respectfully submitted,

LEROY F. WOOD,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
ROSCOE C. SPENCER,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1954 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1954

Real estate, resident,	\$182,410.00
Personal estate, resident,	46,965.00
Real estate, non-resident,	460,620.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	12,165.00
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Total valuation,	\$702,160.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$64,946.00
County tax,	1,610.70
Overlay,	2,860.98
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Committed to collector,	
including polls,	\$69,417.68
Excise tax collected,	3,453.45
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Total,	\$72,871.13
Extra polls taxed, 10, \$30.00.	
Number of polls taxed, 202.	
Number of polls not taxed, 61.	
Rate of taxation, .098.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

24 horses,	\$1,560.00	
25 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	1,125.00	
124 milch cows,	6,820.00	
8 heifers over 2 years, not fresh- ened,	280.00	
26 heifers, 18 months to 2 years,	650.00	
8,590 domestic fowl,	4,295.00	
13,800 chicks,	1,220.00	
		<hr/> \$15,950.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

100 cattle, 18 months and younger,	\$2,000.00	
28 sheep,	280.00	
19 goats,	190.00	
19 swine,	190.00	
1,215 domestic fowl,	607.00	
		<hr/> \$3,267.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 5,825.00	
Logs,	1,380.00	
Lumber,	21,035.00	
Trailers,	2,400.00	
Gasoline pumps,	1,515.00	
Musical instruments,	2,900.00	
Radios,	1,980.00	
Televisions,	5,520.00	
Tractors not excised,	625.00	
Railroad property,	1,100.00	
Light and Power Co.,	363,660.00	
Sawmills,	4,550.00	
Woodworking mill,	20,500.00	
• Wood flour mill,	7,000.00	
		<hr/> \$439,990.00

ABATEMENTS

Frank Wentworth, error in assess- ment,	\$ 4.90
Margaret Jacobs, veteran widow,	101.44

Elwood Milliken, Jr., paid elsewhere,	3.00
Leon Cressey, unable to pay,	12.32
James Emery, paid in Westbrook,	3.00
Harland Howard, moved away,	3.00
Chester Noble, unable to pay,	5.46
Lewis Meserve, moved away,	3.00
Edmund Ribas, paid in Sebago,	3.00
John McNeil, paid in Portland,	3.00
Edgar McNeil, deceased,	3.00
John McNeil, Jr., paid in Portland,	3.00
Everett Sargent, moved away,	3.00
Philip Wagner, moved away,	3.00
Sidney Noyes, over seventy,	3.00
	<hr/> \$157.12

SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES

Bessie Wentworth, real estate,	\$ 24.50
John Smallidge, poll,	3.00
Glendon Buzzell, poll,	3.00
Warren Hutton, poll,	3.00
Shirley Flint, real estate,	77.42
Edson Stacey, poll,	3.00
Arthur Tufts, poll,	3.00
Elwood Milliken, Sr., poll,	3.00
Ralph W. Giles, poll,	3.00
Ralph Perkins, poll,	3.00
Linwood Noble, poll,	3.00
Alton Walker, poll,	3.00
Raymond L. Wood, stock in trade,	137.20
	<hr/> \$269.12

UNPAID TAXES

Unpaid taxes as of December 31, 1954, \$5,140.90
 Taxes unpaid when town report went to print:

Resident

Ralph Anderson,	\$ 42.64
Norman Berry,	256.78
Gardner Black,	56.84
Yves Barriault,	13.72

Lorraine Barriault,	18.14
John McNeill,	84.76
Arthur E. Dyer,	140.64
Arnold Day,	29.86
Joseph and Monica Dwyer,	13.72
Everett Emerson,	72.48
Percy Estes,	5.88
Donald Estes,	8.88
Nelson Estes,	7.90
Earl Eastman,	3.98
Lester Frazier,	16.72
Herbert Frost,	12.76
Stanley Graffam,	4.50
William O. Guptill,	8.34
Roderick and Dorothy Henderson,	158.28
W. S. Hoyt, Heirs,	178.86
Carl Hawkins,	93.60
Kenneth Harrington,	19.12
Alfred Jewell,	10.78
Ralph Johnson,	34.32
Leon and Carleton Murch,	101.44
Alan McGowan,	44.10
Lester Murch,	22.02
Ellsworth Moore,	12.82
Raymond Murch,	46.56
Sophia Noble, Heirs,	28.92
Anna and Lorenzo Norton, Heirs,	36.76
Herman Noble,	6.44
Linwood Noble,	2.46
Verne Neil,	3.00
Elmer Perkins,	18.00
Norman Pomerleau,	6.86
Edmund Ribas,	92.12
Ruell Robbins,	19.66
Herman Sanborn,	5.46
Myron L. Sanborn, Jr.,	8.82
Wilma Sawyer,	71.06
Raymond Thombs,	15.26

Olin Thomas,	7.02
Hazen Templeton,	.98
Richard Thorne,	18.14
Harry Walker,	7.42
William Walker,	2.46
Helen Walker,	25.00
Clarence Warren,	116.76
Lloyd Wentworth,	67.68
Willie L. Wentworth, Heirs,	26.00
Norman Whitney, Heirs,	9.80
Lottie Wiley,	28.92
Hazen Wiley,	36.76
Charles Yates,	74.98
	<hr/> \$2,257.18

Non-Resident

Ben Blake and George Mullen,	\$ 15.44
Francis Deering,	43.12
Lewis Brown, Heirs,	2.46
James A. Eddy,	30.38
John Fullerton,	22.06
John Jewell,	29.40
Clarence Kaye,	389.06
Mrs. Gladys Kenney,	4.90
William Kenny,	9.80
Benjamin Lewis,	706.58
Joseph P. Martin,	14.70
Duncan Scarborough,	24.50
Arthur Libby,	41.66
Solomon Stewart, Heirs,	19.60
Edward R. Theriault, Heirs,	17.16
Alma LeGoff,	107.80
	<hr/> 1,478.62
Total,	<hr/> \$3,735.80

Taxes received since December 31, 1954, \$1,405.10

SUMMARY OF TOTAL ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town,	\$4,000.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	747.84
New England Metal Culvert Co.,	.90
Transferred from overdraft account,	640.58
	<hr/> \$5,389.32
Expended by Mr. Sanborn,	\$1,554.60
Expended by Mr. Riley,	1,821.20
Expended by Mr. Crawford,	2,013.52
	<hr/> \$5,389.32

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$270.05
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	241.39
Avery Howard, labor,	3.64
Preston Sanborn, labor and power saw,	152.37
Stanley L. Graffam, labor,	7.28
Lester Burnell, gas,	1.83
Raymond Wood, gas,	8.06
Russell L. Hoyt, labor,	10.92
Leslie Sanborn, Jr., labor,	17.29
Richard L. Sanborn, labor,	29.12
Myron L. Sanborn, Jr., labor,	126.03
Wirthmore Feed Co., rock pickers,	3.55
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	27.31
Millard Tripp, Sr., labor,	27.31
Raymond Orben, labor,	5.46
Arthur Parker, gravel,	9.00
Bernard Graffam, labor,	5.46
Warren Sanborn, tractor,	64.00
Myron L. Sanborn, Sr., labor,	114.63
Arthur Powers, truck,	25.20
Arthur Powers, labor,	12.74
Guy Jones, tractor,	48.75
Blue Rock Quarry,	37.96
Everett Davis, truck,	10.00
Everett Davis, labor,	7.28
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	59.50

Guy Jones, labor,	19.50
William Guptill, labor,	9.64
Paul Eldridge, labor,	8.30
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	188.30
Herman Sanborn, labor,	2.73
	<hr/> \$1,554.60

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Roger Riley, commissioner,	\$286.27
Roger Riley, truck,	197.69
Merle Moore, labor,	148.70
Eugene Sawyer, labor,	26.85
Roger Riley, tractor,	43.75
Roger Riley, gravel,	13.50
Loring Burnell, Jr., truck,	66.83
Loring Burnell, Jr., labor,	67.80
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	35.70
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	30.95
Guy Ridlon, labor,	1.82
Lester Burnell, gas,	17.19
Russell Hoyt, labor,	7.28
Percy Estes, labor,	29.58
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	261.59
Ellsworth Moore, labor,	73.16
Edward McNeil, labor,	36.40
Henry Black, tractor,	6.00
Guy Jones, tractor,	85.58
Arthur Parker, gravel,	3.40
F. E. Wood & Sons, plank and stringers,	173.92
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	56.00
Wirthmore Feed Co., spikes,	6.00
John Kelley, gravel,	6.80
Clarence Warren, labor,	42.31
Guy Jones, labor,	15.92
Clarence Dearborn, labor,	13.65
Joe Beale, labor,	4.10
Joe Beale, bulldozer,	45.40
John Crawford, labor,	10.92

Jesse Decker, labor,	1.82
Everett Davis, labor,	1.82
Everett Davis, truck,	2.50
	<hr/> \$1,821.20

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

John Crawford, commissioner,	\$364.90
Frank York, labor,	219.85
Alfred Crawford, labor,	61.28
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	328.98
Lester Burnell, fan belt,	2.15
Everett Perkins, labor,	18.20
Jesse Decker, labor,	229.44
Edwin Crawford, labor,	80.24
Everett Davis, labor,	251.65
Everett Davis, truck,	143.76
Louis Chessey, sharpening tools,	2.00
Yves Barriault, labor,	5.70
Yves Barriault, power saw,	6.00
Norman McKenney, labor,	5.46
Norman McKenney, team,	2.01
Percy Robbins, bridge stone,	10.00
Roger Riley, labor,	1.82
Roger Riley, truck,	3.74
Raymond Thombs, labor,	19.83
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	35.00
H. F. Partridge, gas,	55.36
H. F. Partridge, tools,	18.89
Gerald Davis, gas,	4.37
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	28.46
Carroll Babb, labor,	21.86
Guy Jones, labor,	13.20
Guy Jones, tractor,	37.56
Arthur Parker, gravel,	13.80
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	6.55
Chester Decker, labor,	3.80
Henry Crawford, labor,	6.65
Henry Crawford, power saw,	7.00
R. J. Wood, gas,	4.01
	<hr/> \$2,013.52

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by town,	\$300.00	
Balance, January 1, 1954,	297.05	
	<hr/>	\$597.05
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$92.40	
Frank York, labor,	99.18	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	12.90	
Roger Riley, commissioner,	6.60	
Roger Riley, power saw,	1.50	
Percy Estes, labor,	7.60	
Merle Moore, labor,	7.60	
Everett Davis, labor,	12.90	
Everett Perkins, labor,	66.50	
Gerald Davis, gas,	2.85	
Lawrence Hoyt, tractor,	29.88	
Lawrence Hoyt, labor,	16.38	
Jesse Decker, labor,	28.50	
	<hr/>	384.79
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Balance, December 31, 1954,		\$212.26

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,066.00	
Due from the State,	1,536.61	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1954,	5.60	
	<hr/>	\$2,608.21
Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$134.32	
John Crawford, labor,	95.00	
Everett Davis, labor,	76.48	
Bancroft & Martin,	150.12	
Neal Shaw, labor,	41.80	
Town of Standish, screen,	5.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	108.00	
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	206.30	
Elmer Shirtridge, posts,	10.50	
Everett Perkins, labor,	34.20	
Jesse Decker, labor,	7.60	
Lester Frazier, labor,	72.20	
Ralph Anderson, labor,	60.80	

Arthur Douglass, labor,	30.40
Henry Crawford, labor,	7.60
Albert Anderson, labor,	15.20
George Anderson, labor,	19.60
Forrest Thorne, gravel,	17.70
Erlon Marean, labor,	55.10
John O. Sanborn, III, labor,	24.70
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	11.40
Leon Morton, bulldozer operator,	72.00
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	81.64
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	137.25
Leon Morton, labor,	34.60
Willis Harmon, shovel operator,	34.54
Willis Harmon, truck,	58.50
Leon Morton, truck,	104.40
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	256.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	324.02
Joseph Beale, bulldozer operator,	18.00
Joseph Beale, bulldozer,	114.50
Charles Brown, truck,	99.00
Giguere Construction Co., blasting,	71.14
	<hr/> 2,589.61

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1954, \$18.60

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Apportioned by State, still due,	\$3,157.44
Town's share, gravel,	322.90
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1954,	61.27
	<hr/> \$3,541.61
Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$162.06
John Crawford, labor,	78.86
Lester Frazier, labor,	30.40
Joseph Beal, bulldozer operator,	22.50
Willis Harmon, truck,	51.75
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	334.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	362.60
Ralph Anderson, labor,	38.00

John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	21.85
Everett Davis, labor,	79.81
Everett Davis, truck,	129.03
Everett Perkins, labor,	7.60
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	35.15
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	119.25
Leon Morton, bulldozer operator,	125.25
Joseph Beal, bulldozer,	142.50
Willis Harmon, shovel operator,	36.11
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	824.24
Alfred Crawford, labor,	2.85
Erlon Marean, labor,	43.23
Neil Shaw, labor,	22.80
Edwards Roberts, truck,	32.63
Paul Holman, truck,	28.13
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	94.20
Charles Brown, truck,	97.88
Leon Morton, truck,	85.50
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	103.70
Henry Crawford, labor,	7.60
Jesse Decker, labor,	39.90
George Anderson, truck driver,	9.50
Clarence Brown, labor,	18.53
Forrest Thorne, gravel,	219.20
Roger Riley, labor,	11.88
Paul Holman, labor,	11.88
Sanford Field, labor,	11.88
George Anderson, truck,	22.50
Roger Riley, truck,	15.63
	<hr/> 3,480.38

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1954,	\$61.23
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SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Received from the State,	1,946.10
Sears, Roebuck & Co., refund,	.40
Balance, January 1, 1954,	275.35
Transferred from overdraft account,	99.34
	<hr/> \$7,321.19

Loring Burnell, Jr., commissioner,	\$205.53
Loring Burnell, Jr., truck,	149.86
Elwin McKenney, labor,	108.00
Percy Estes, labor,	117.51
Joseph Stokes, labor,	49.15
Lester Rankin, labor,	13.50
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	31.00
Saco Valley Garage,	124.53
Merle Moore, labor,	11.23
Raymond Ayer, sand,	50.10
Edwin Crawford, commissioner,	320.43
Edwin Crawford, truck,	24.37
Everett Davis, labor,	172.75
Everett Davis, truck,	189.27
John Crawford, labor,	402.03
Wendell Wiggin, car,	7.28
Carl Hawkins, labor,	3.80
Frank York, labor,	170.33
Carroll Babb, car hire and labor,	5.17
Raymond Thombs, labor,	30.88
Walter Murch, labor,	6.00
Norman Murch, labor,	2.84
Norman Pomerleau, labor,	3.80
Edward Roberts, truck,	58.50
Sanfield Field, labor,	24.80
Willis Harmon, shovel,	101.52
Paul Holman, labor,	13.40
Paul Holman, truck,	31.50
Jack Rennie, labor,	19.07
Jack Rennie, truck,	45.00
Percy Batchelder, shovel,	81.37
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	37.65
Paul Holmes, labor,	9.50
Paul Holmes, truck,	22.50
Ralph Crawford, labor,	15.19
Ralph Crawford, truck,	6.87
Clifford Verrill,	54.24
Murray Milliken, labor,	21.00
Murray Milliken, truck,	31.50

Guy Wilson, Jr.,	5.54
Russell Hoyt, labor,	71.21
Roger Riley, commissioner,	171.60
Roger Riley, truck,	87.35
Jesse Decker, labor,	60.26
Norman McKenney, labor,	1.82
Norman McKenney, team,	2.68
Fred Locke, labor,	6.50
Wilbur Hammond, loader and tractor,	54.38
Wilbur Hammond, labor,	8.12
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	463.00
Leon Morton, labor,	22.90
Leon Morton, truck,	54.00
Raymond Orben, labor,	19.24
F. E. Wood & Sons, plowing,	308.55
Leroy F. Wood, labor,	38.54
Arthur Powers, labor,	23.03
Arthur Powers, truck,	44.15
Paul Eldridge, labor,	32.70
Ralph Black, labor,	13.19
Leslie Sanborn, Sr., labor,	10.74
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	9.55
Melvin DeRenne, labor,	1.82
Empire Steel and Tool Co., cutting edges,	98.31
Wood's Garage,	749.00
Raymond L. Wood, gas,	144.58
Sears, Roebuck Co.,	33.37
H. F. Partridge, gas,	96.06
Gerald Davis, gas,	49.37
Leslie Myron Sanborn, Jr., labor,	9.97
Allen Dolloff, labor,	7.12
Guy Jones, labor,	3.32
Treasurer of State,	434.00
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	13.21
Lester Burnell, gas, oil, tires,	312.86
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	268.79
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	566.56
Olin Thomas, labor,	7.28

Alfred Crawford, labor,	74.84
Richard Sanborn,	37.30
Richard Buzzell, labor,	58.07
Charles Black, labor,	20.47
Guy Ridlon, labor,	30.00
Glendon Buzzell, labor,	4.75
Arnold Day, labor,	7.60
Gerald Davis, labor,	10.52
	<hr/> \$7,321.19

WARREN ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Roger Riley, commissioner,	\$62.70
Roger Riley, truck and tractor,	69.10
Clarence Dearborn, labor,	47.76
John Kelley, gravel,	22.20
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	30.26
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	24.50
Ellsworth Moore, labor,	7.28
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	35.73
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	66.18
Guy Jones, labor,	28.20
Guy Jones, tractor,	71.22
Guy Jones, shovel,	9.05
Clarence Warren, labor,	25.93
John Crawford, labor,	3.18
	<hr/> 503.29

Overdraft, December 31, 1954, \$3.29

HARRY SANBORN ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$750.00
Transferred from overdraft account,	39.50
	<hr/> \$789.50
Roger Riley, commissioner,	\$ 52.75
Roger Riley, truck,	21.80
Clarence Dearborn, labor,	23.20
Clarence Warren, labor,	39.11
Joseph Beal, labor,	18.66
Joseph Beal, bulldozer,	206.84

New England Metal Culvert Co., cul-	
verts,	124.19
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	60.49
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	43.87
Guy Jones, labor,	26.39
Guy Jones, shovel,	75.11
John Crawford, labor,	28.01
Loren Burnell, labor,	7.28
Loren Burnell, truck,	14.40
Paul Estes, labor,	3.18
Paul Estes, truck,	7.30
Jesse Decker, labor,	5.46
Everett Davis, labor,	5.46
Everett Davis, truck,	7.50
John Kelley, gravel,	18.50
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	\$789.50

WENTWORTH ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$750.00
Received from H. F. Partridge,	4.53
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	\$754.53
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 78.10
Alfred Crawford, labor,	44.10
Frank York, labor,	19.99
Jesse Decker, labor,	47.74
Joseph Beal, bulldozer,	104.50
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul-	
verts,	117.40
Everett Davis, labor,	41.37
Everett Davis, truck,	68.48
Yves Barriault,	9.55
Roger Riley, truck,	44.88
Clarence Warren,	21.84
Arthur Parker, gravel,	33.30
Guy Jones, labor,	28.21
Guy Jones, shovel,	80.29
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	6.37
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	13.09
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	759.21
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Overdraft,	\$4.68

DECKER ROAD

Appropriated by the town,		\$500.00
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 44.00	
Carroll Babb, labor,	14.56	
Frank York, labor,	14.56	
Jesse Decker, labor,	36.40	
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	115.50	
Yves Barriault, truck,	7.28	
Yves Barriault, labor,	3.00	
Everett Davis, labor,	19.11	
Everett Davis, truck,	38.27	
Roger Riley, labor,	18.20	
Roger Riley, labor,	37.40	
Guy Jones, labor,	19.11	
Guy Jones, shovel,	54.39	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	3.19	
Arthur Parker, gravel,	25.10	
		<hr/> 450.07
Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		<hr/> \$49.93

GENERAL RELIEF

Federal and State laws prohibit printing in the town report the names of those receiving aid from the town who also receive old age assistance, aid to the blind and aid to dependent children, and also veterans.

Appropriated by town,	\$2,500.00
Received from State on Leon Cressey and Harry Walker,	642.50
Due from State on above accounts,	508.44
Due from Brownfield on Chester No- ble and Case No. 9,	436.67
Due from Standish, Case No. 6,	107.90
Due from Harpswell, Case No. 8,	14.00
	<hr/> \$4,209.51

Chester Noble, doctor,	\$249.50
Harry Walker, groceries and doctor,	364.17
Ellsworth Moore, groceries,	127.13
Case No. 1, doctor,	3.00
Case No. 9, groceries and doctor,	187.17
A. D. C. cases, town's share, 18%,	682.56
Case No. 2, doctor,	78.50
Minnie Judkins, groceries, fuel, and doctor,	401.08
William Walker, groceries, clothing and doctor,	619.41
Clarence Harmon, groceries, clothing and doctor,	244.47
Case No. 3, fuel	4.00
Case No. 4, doctor and fuel,	85.25
Leon Cressey, groceries, doctor and clothing,	786.77
Everett Perkins, board,	60.00
Congdon Express, express charges,	10.27
Case No. 5, care,	25.00
Case No. 10, glasses and groceries,	63.51
Case No. 6, doctor,	107.90
Case No. 7, groceries,	25.87
Case No. 8, doctor,	14.00
	<hr/> 4,139.56

Unexpended balance, Decem-
ber 31, 1954,

\$69.95

Total bill now due Baldwin from Brownfield is:
\$1,332.95.

MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,600.00
Received from Brown Cemetery fund,	25.00
Received from Roscoe C. Spencer, auctioneer's license,	2.00
Received from Ralph W. Giles, can- celled insurance policy on Pigeon Brook schoolhouse,	11.91

Received from J. Everett Riley, cancelled insurance policy on East Baldwin schoolhouse,	15.22
Received from Robert Bicknell, sale of cement mixer,	5.00
Received from treasurer of State, insurance fee for dancing purposes,	2.00
Received from treasurer of State, license Dancemore,	2.00
Received from State, railroad, telephone and telegraph tax,	50.17
Appropriation for audit,	275.00
	<hr/> \$1,988.30
Central Maine Power Co., plow shed lights, west and north,	\$ 26.72
Audit,	261.77
New England Telephone and Telegraph, town office phone,	78.55
Cornish Library Association, rent superintendent of schools office,	42.00
Maine Municipal Association, yearly dues,	35.00
Roscoe Spencer, telephone and mileage,	88.40
Myra B. Andrews, supplies,	21.23
Portland Press Herald, advertising school for sale,	26.40
Dr. A. DiBiaso, clinic,	70.40
Congdon Transportation,	1.25
Wood's Garage,	50.80
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	42.58
Robert E. Batchelder,	6.10
Raymond Orben,	10.01
Frank Wentworth,	4.90
Wendell Wiggin, telephone, postage and mileage,	190.61
Chester V. Small, town printing,	336.40
Marks Printing, supplies,	44.58
Raymond L. Wood,	6.50
Walter Page,	4.20

J. Everett Riley, insurance,	103.20	
U. S. Auto Guide,	7.00	
L. W. Somers Co., treasurer's bond,	92.50	
J. O. Sanborn, telephone, mileage and postage,	129.50	
Leroy F. Wood, telephone, mileage and postage,	135.14	
Roxa Belle Palmer, real estate trans- fers,	10.00	
	<hr/>	1,825.74
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		\$162.56

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by town,	\$630.00	
Central Maine Power Co.,	622.00	
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		\$8.00

TARRING SMUT STREET

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,250.00	
Dennis Sanborn, commissioner,	\$ 60.50	
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	102.85	
Guy Jones, shovel,	68.75	
Guy Jones, labor,	26.00	
Raymond Orben, labor,	28.21	
Arthur Powers, truck,	33.66	
Arthur Powers, labor,	4.55	
Millard Tripp, Sr., labor,	37.31	
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	20.93	
Preston Sanborn, labor,	21.84	
Howard DeRenne, labor,	3.64	
Avery Howard, labor,	6.37	
Stanley Graffam, labor,	7.28	
Robert Graffam, labor,	7.28	
George Graffam, labor,	7.28	

Everett Davis, truck,	12.15	
Everett Davis, labor,	5.91	
Herman Sanborn, labor,	3.64	
Mrs. Mildred Sanborn, gravel,	16.80	
Koppers Co., tar,	782.22	
	<hr/>	1,257.17

Overdraft, December 31, 1954,	\$7.17
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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$400.00	
Refunds,	243.90	
	<hr/>	\$643.90
J. Everett Riley,		247.83
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Balance, December 31, 1954,		\$396.07

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$3,000.00	
Transferred from overdraft account,	617.03	
	<hr/>	\$3,617.03
John O. Sanborn, treasurer,	\$297.20	
Leroy Wood, selectman,	377.75	
Carroll Ronco, superintendent,	786.44	
Wendell Wiggin, selectman,	827.75	
Raymond Wood, tax collector,	632.89	
Roscoe Spencer, selectman,	334.00	
Linwood Hoyt, selectman,	12.00	
Ida Ward, town clerk,	90.00	
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	18.00	
Ada McKenney, ballot clerk,	6.00	
Shirley Milliken, ballot clerk,	12.00	
Harry Ward, excise tax collector,	48.00	
Lester Wood, school committee,	50.00	
Carroll Babb, school committee,	50.00	
Roscoe Spencer, school committee,	50.00	
Dr. Anthony DiBiaso, health officer,	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,617.03

INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,100.00
Paid interest on all town notes,	59.03

Balance, December 31, 1954,	\$140.97
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MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00
Paid Williams-Goodwin Post,	\$75.00

HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid State Health and Welfare Department,	\$100.00

POOR ACCOUNT NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$1,500.00

ANTICIPATION OF TAX NOTES

Borrowed in anticipation of taxes,	\$25,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$25,000.00

EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid East Baldwin Library Association,	\$100.00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Ellie K. Hawes, county treasurer,	\$1,610.70
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OVERDRAFT FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Applied to roads and bridges account,	\$640.58
Applied to officers' compensation,	617.03
Applied to Harry Sanborn road ac-	
count,	39.50
Applied to snow removal,	99.34
Applied to general fund,	103.55
	<hr/> \$1,500.00

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1954,	\$100.00

REVALUATION FUND

Appropriated by town,	\$1,500.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1954,	\$1,500.00

TOWN DUMP

Balance, January 1, 1954,	\$250.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1954,	\$250.00

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,200.00
Paid North Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$400.00
Paid East Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
Paid West Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
	—————\$1,200.00

LAWSUIT ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$ 500.00
Fred Leavitt, appraisal,	\$ 40.00
Arthur Warren, witness,	16.00
Carroll Babb, witness,	16.00
Frank Hodgdon, witness,	8.00
John O. Sanborn, witness,	16.00
Linwood Hoyt, witness,	16.00
Richard Sanborn, attorney,	1,448.76
	————— 1,560.76

Overdraft, December 31, 1954,	\$1,060.76
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CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$5,000.00

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00

GYPSY MOTH CONTROL

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Contributed by:	
F. E. Wood & Sons,	110.00
Donald Flint,	100.00
Delmont Hawkes,	100.00
Albert Locke,	100.00
P. C. Marston, M. D.,	100.00
Sidney Noyes,	100.00
Mrs. Katherine Pierce,	100.00
Sebago Forestry Corp.,	100.00
Chester Chase,	75.00
Frank Harding,	50.00
Clarence Kaye,	50.00
Raymond Wood,	50.00
Miss Elizabeth Paddock,	35.00
Carroll Babb,	25.00
Henry Black,	25.00
Ralph Crawford,	25.00
Thomas Jackson,	25.00
Clarence O'Brian,	15.00
Wendell Wiggin,	15.00
Mrs. Edith Gup till,	10.00
Mrs. Mettie Stewart,	10.00
Mrs. Alice Somers,	10.00
Refund, treasurer of State,	26.43
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Total available,	\$1,756.43
Paid to treasurer of State of Maine,	1,760.00

Overdraft, December 31, 1954, \$3.57

HURRICANE WASHOUT

John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 469.30
Alfred Crawford, labor,	128.89
Henry Crawford, labor,	60.30
Henry Crawford, power saw,	3.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	20.45
Frank York, labor,	238.93
Jesse Decker, labor,	240.40

Everett Davis, labor,	290.27
Everett Davis, truck,	345.29
Raymond Wood, gas,	77.26
Raymond Wood, truck,	42.75
Edwin Crawford, labor,	42.80
Guy Jones, truck, tractor, and shovel,	283.13
Everett Perkins,	98.32
Prentist Wentworth, labor,	104.11
Prentist Wentworth, gravel,	36.60
Prentist Wentworth, tractor,	25.00
Carroll Babb, labor,	142.03
Carroll Babb, tractor,	7.50
Forrest Thorne, gravel,	161.10
H. F. Partridge, gas,	52.31
Davis Grocery, gas,	8.53
Roger Riley, labor,	379.00
Roger Riley, truck,	262.02
Roger Riley, gravel,	57.30
Ralph Crawford, labor,	5.70
John Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	2.85
Merle Moore, labor,	132.05
Elwin McKenney, labor,	42.27
T. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	1,330.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, plank,	60.70
Jack Rennie, labor,	90.25
Jack Rennie, truck,	193.68
Raymond Orben, labor,	295.44
Manuel Stacey, tractor and shovel,	230.80
John Kelley, plank,	28.54
John Kelley, gravel,	57.30
Arthur Powers, labor,	135.63
Arthur Powers, truck,	265.11
Myron Sanborn, Jr., labor,	127.77
Maurice Rogers, labor,	56.52
Maurice Rogers, shovel,	1,118.48
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	272.25
Dennis Sanborn, gravel,	104.40
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	328.59
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	24.90
Millard Tripp, Sr., labor,	82.65

Paul Eldridge, labor,	13.30
Paul Eldridge, gravel,	2.70
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	1,850.36
Guy Wilson, Jr., labor,	60.80
Melvin Murch, labor,	3.80
Herman Sanborn, labor,	42.27
Avery Howard, labor,	48.45
Leslie Sanborn, labor,	59.45
Leslie Sanborn, gravel,	72.02
Richard Sanborn, labor,	45.60
Percy Estes, labor,	217.05
Murray Milliken, labor,	50.34
Murray Milliken, truck,	70.17
Lester Burnell, gas,	79.87
Jewett & Gunter, tire,	66.86
Harry Ward, bridge timber,	82.00
Wirthmore Feed Co., rock pickers,	17.45
A. T. Hester, repairs,	99.12
Warren Sanborn, tractor,	318.00
Marlo Murch, labor,	167.20
Arthur Parker, gravel,	3.00
Norman McKenney, labor,	17.10
William Curtis, labor,	44.95
Emery Moulton, truck,	163.12
Grover McLeene, labor,	51.30
Edward Roberts, truck,	266.62
Sanford Fields, labor,	114.48
Charles Brown, truck,	147.37
Leon Morton, labor,	183.75
Leon Morton, truck,	123.75
Harry Roberts, labor,	216.98
Willis Harmon, shovel and bulldozer,	1,320.98
Willis Harmon, truck,	11.25
Norman Berry, gravel,	66.70
Clarence Kaye, gravel,	45.90
Hartley Shaw, labor,	13.30
Walker Brothers, gravel,	123.70
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	850.81
George Anderson, truck,	5.00
Phil Smith, labor,	17.10

Preston Sanborn, labor,	3.80
Phyllis Sanborn, gravel,	98.90
William Carter, labor,	17.58
Grover McCann, labor,	17.58
Leon Moulton, labor,	34.50
Charles Irish, labor,	44.65
Clifford Verrill, labor,	82.65
Donald Haskell, labor,	10.45
Arthur Anderson, labor,	7.60
Paul Holman, labor,	41.32
Paul Holman, truck,	97.88

\$16,173.35

Received from State of Maine approximately 50% of cost of flood resulting from Hurricane Edna, \$7,629.12.

The selectmen have made out blanks applying to get the other 50% back from the Federal Government. The preliminary blanks have been accepted and it is expected that the town will get back a substantial part of the other half of the cost. Just how much is unknown at this time.

GENERAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Appropriated by the town,	\$17,500.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	5,093.87
Received from State subsidy,	4,716.92
School receipts,	7.81
	<hr/> \$27,318.60

Expenses

Teaching,	\$10,889.80
Elementary tuition,	615.36
Janitor,	2,334.19
Conveyance,	5,197.04
Fuel,	1,316.87
Utilities,	553.61
	<hr/> 20,906.87

Unexpended balance, De-	
cember 31, 1954,	\$6,411.73

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Etta Bradeen,	\$ 265.27	
Flora Carpenter,	632.76	
Gladys Cartret,	1,768.06	
Muriel Hoyt,	1,764.30	
Maxine Pierce,	1,362.70	
Ida Ward,	1,779.30	
Louise Edgecomb,	660.92	
Marie Norton,	8.00	
Helen Stickney,	398.60	
Eleanor Clinch,	276.00	
Rinehart Writing,	300.00	
Treasurer of State, T. R. R.,	497.39	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	1,176.50	
		—————\$10,889.80

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Sebago,	\$600.00	
City of Portland,	15.36	
		————— \$615.36

JANITOR

Cleon Dyer, janitor,	\$1,651.60	
M. P. Fitch,	7.89	
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co.,	211.15	
Roland Guptill,	17.00	
Sani-Clean Dist.,	98.82	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	238.40	
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	2.55	
Industrial Electronics,	52.78	
Milton Bradley Co.,	54.00	
		—————\$2,334.19

CONVEYANCE

Anita Eldridge,	\$1,453.80	
Ada McKenney,	1,488.55	
Arthur Richards,	185.00	
Thelma Warren,	1,938.92	
Treasurer, State of Maine,	3.27	
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	127.50	
		—————\$5,197.04

FUEL

Jewett & Gunter,	\$1,316.87
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UTILITIES

Carroll Ronco,	\$ 28.39
New England Telephone and Tele- graph,	73.70
Mrs. C. G. Ward,	1.76
Lewis E. Webber,	6.25
Central Maine Power Co.,	423.61
Treasurer of State,	3.90
Norton Hardware,	16.00
	<hr/> \$553.61

SCHOOL INSURANCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$525.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	55.19
Insurance refund,	1.00
	<hr/> \$581.19
Paid J. Everett Riley, insurance,	503.09
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,	\$78.10

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	225.00
Sale of East Baldwin schoolhouse,	975.00
Sale of West Baldwin furnace,	200.00
Refund on Marland Bond,	22.64
Sale of various articles from closed schools,	100.50
	<hr/> \$3,023.14
Manuel Stacey, grading schoolyard,	2,034.37
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,	\$988.77

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriated by the town,	\$800.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	112.41
From State subsidy,	200.00
	<hr/> \$1,112.41

John C. Winston Co.,	\$ 2.34	
Beaudette & Co.,	9.92	
Gledhill Bros.,	94.02	
Lewis Webber,	2.31	
Ginn & Co.,	96.58	
Chester V. Small,	8.25	
Carroll Ronco,	12.06	
Laidlaw Bros.,	52.10	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	125.49	
Allyn & Bacon,	27.10	
Scott, Foresman,	102.77	
Field Enterprises,	1.50	
Silver Burdett,	58.13	
Macmillan Co.,	4.70	
F. A. Owen Pub.,	1.50	
Follette Publishing Co.,	4.78	
Webster Publishing Co.,	11.81	
Treasurer, State of Maine,	1.25	
DeLans Service,	1.68	
Cascade Paper Co.,	36.02	
Arundel Print Shop,	8.90	
Cleon Dyer,	.94	
Prentice Hall, Inc.,	2.92	
World Book Co.,	50.53	
Continental Press,	13.56	
Dr. Garland Russell,	1.35	
Muriel Hoyt,	12.64	
American Education,	13.50	
Scholastic Machine,	22.00	
Loring, Short and Harmon,	15.40	
American Association of School Ad- ministration,	1.67	
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	34.45	
Paper Crafters, Inc.,	20.56	
	<hr/>	852.73
Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		<hr/> \$259.68

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriated by the town,	\$7,000.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	1,061.53
State subsidy,	1,000.00
State refund,	288.00
	<hr/> \$9,349.53

Expenses

City of Westbrook,	\$ 239.64
Town of Standish,	2,839.80
Fryeburg Academy,	1,670.62
Town of Sebago,	3,946.67
	<hr/> 8,696.73

Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,	<hr/> \$652.80
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REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by the town,	\$600.00
Balance, January 1, 1954,	265.71
Sale of stove,	65.00
	<hr/> \$930.71

Norman Berry,	\$ 10.00
Roland Guptill,	8.22
Arthur Stevens,	8.00
Hatch Typewriter Co.,	3.33
Wood's Radio Shop,	6.74
Sears, Roebuck & Co.,	31.13
Norton Hardware,	321.60
M. P. Fitch,	29.14
L. C. Andrew,	97.67
Cornish & Kezar Falls Power & Light,	3.60
Wendell Tripp,	13.53
Norman Libby,	6.00
Cleon Dyer,	55.63
William O. Guptill,	10.92
C. J. Hammond,	2.50

Paris Manufacturing Co.,	48.35	
Jewett & Gunter,	80.30	
Triangle Filling Station,	1.78	
	<hr/>	738.44
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		\$192.27

SCHOOL LUNCH

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,200.00	
Balance, January 1, 1954,	484.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,684.52
Ada McKenney, cook,	\$320.60	
Eleanor Murch, assistant cook,	230.00	
Edna Eldridge, cook,	728.70	
Norma Thomas, assistant cook,	70.00	
Erma Nelson,	60.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	30.70	
	<hr/>	1,440.00
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		\$244.52

AUDITORIUM ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00	
Balance, January 1, 1954,	108.34	
Rent,	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$216.34
Paid Central Maine Power Co.,		64.71
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1954,		\$151.63

REPORT OF FIRE COMPANIES

WEST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC.

Balance on hand, January 1, 1954,	\$254.81
Donation—Town,	400.00
Donation—Miscellaneous,	68.50
Dues,	78.00
From activities,	344.30
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Total amount received,	\$1,145.61
Disbursements	
To new engine,	\$328.36
To maintenance building,	14.20
To fuel,	72.95
To civil defense telephone,	58.40
To insurance,	134.38
To miscellaneous,	30.83
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Total expenditures,	639.12
To cash on hand, January 1, 1955,	506.49
	<hr/> \$1,145.61

Estimated cost of equipment on order, \$450.00.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD T. FLINT,
Treasurer.

NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC.

Cash on hand January 18, 1954,	\$666.81
Dues received,	38.00
Appropriated by town,	400.00
Contributions by members,	29.17
Activities,	205.85
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Total receipts,	\$1,339.83

Disbursements

Fuel and lights,	\$ 46.88
Insurance on building, truck and men,	165.33
New equipment for building and truck,	354.92
Maintenance of truck and building,	234.83
General expenses,	63.05
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Total expenses,	\$865.01
Unexpended balance, January 17,	
1955,	474.82
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	\$1,339.83

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY M. SMITH,

Secretary.

**EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE
COMPANY, INC.****Total Cash Received**

Cash on hand, January 22, 1954,	\$ 86.34
Donations,	12.00
Activities,	95.80
Dues,	26.00
Donations from town,	400.00
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Total,	\$620.14

Total Spent

Upkeep,	\$167.47
Improvements,	325.78
Miscellaneous expenses,	26.74
Cash on hand, February 7, 1955,	100.15
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Total,	\$620.14

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State, \$87.40

VITAL STATISTICS

Number of births recorded, 12

Number of marriages recorded, 8

DEATHS

March 23, in Baldwin, Mary I. Milliken.

March 28, in Baldwin, George Everett Sanborn.

March 28, in Baldwin, Lindon H. Merrill.

June 7, in Baldwin, Edward Charles Black.

June 10, in Hollis, Clifton A. Wood.

June 27, in Portland, Edgar E. McNeil.

July 9, in Dover-Foxcroft, Samuel McKenney.

August 15, in North Yarmouth, John W. Chadbourne.

August 17, in New Gloucester, Helen M. Sanborn.

September 17, in Baldwin, Eva May Kennard.

September 22, in Baldwin, Walter L. Warren.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Year Ending December 31, 1954

Taxes:

Current year,	\$63,289.24	
Prior taxes,	2,758.72	
Excise taxes,	3,396.25	
Liens paid during the year,	233.32	
	<hr/>	\$ 69,677.53

State grants:

Highways snow removal,	\$1,946.10	
Hurricane damage,	3,325.00	
Health and welfare,	642.50	
Bank stock tax,	17.09	
Railroad and telegraph tax,	50.17	
Dance license and insurance,	4.00	
Moth control refund,	26.43	
School maintenance,	6,204.92	
	<hr/>	12,216.21

Temporary loans:

Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$25,000.00	
Note 1 year authorized at special town meeting,	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	35,000.00

Donations moth control:

Katherine Pierce,	\$100.00
A. B. Locke,	100.00
Elizabeth Paddock,	35.00
Clarence O'Brion,	15.00
Henry Black,	25.00
Donald Flint,	100.00
Ralph Crawford,	25.00
P. C. Marston \$100 for Sid- ney Noyes \$100,	200.00

Sebago Forestry Corp.,	100.00	
Delmont Hawkes,	100.00	
Thomas Jackson,	25.00	
Frank Harding,	50.00	
Carroll Babb,	25.00	
F. E. Wood & Sons,	110.00	
Raymond J. Wood,	50.00	
Mettie Stewart,	10.00	
Alice Somers,	10.00	
Edith Guptill,	10.00	
Chester Chase,	75.00	
Clarence V. Kaye,	50.00	
Wendell Wiggin,	15.00	
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		1,230.00

Other receipts:

School property sold,	\$1,265.00	
J. Everett Riley, refund ac-		
count of insurance,	259.12	
Treasurer of U. S. A., inter-		
est Brown Cemetery fund,	25.00	
Vinal Good, refund Marland		
bond,	22.64	
Carroll B. Ronco, grade school		
yard,	71.50	
Several small amounts,	45.63	
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		1,688.89
Cash at beginning of year,		13,397.66
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Total,		\$133,210.29
Warrants, 1 to 114,	\$122,228.71	
Cash balance,	10,981.58	
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Total,		\$133,210.29

JOHN O. SANBORN,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

TOWN OF BALDWIN

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1954

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

It is a pleasure to submit my first annual report as
superintendent of schools.

There has been one change in faculty since last year.
Mrs. Eleanor Clinch was elected to fill the vacancy cre-
ated by the resignation of Mrs. Louise Gray. Mrs.
Clinch, who received a Bachelor's Degree from Gorham
State Teachers College in 1954, has been filling this
position very satisfactorily.

Enrollments in the consolidated school continue ap-
proximately the same as last year. There has been an
increase of nine tuition pupils attending high schools
this year, and we face a potential net increase of eleven
more next year than are attending high schools cur-
rently. This is a result of two consecutive eighth grade
classes which are triple the number of seniors being
graduated. Enrollment distribution tables for a period
of three years are given below for your attention. These
figures are as of December first, annually.

I. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DATA

Teacher	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Eleanor Clinch,	24	6							30
Maxine Pierce,		18	10						28
Muriel Hoyt,				13	13				26
Gladys Cartret,						12	8		20
Ida Ward,							9	17	26
1954-55 totals,	24	24	10	13	13	12	17	17	130
1953-54 totals,	24	10	16	15	10	17	19	18	129
1952-53 totals,	10	16	14	11	17	19	16	11	114

(Music: Flora Carpenter)

II. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

School	52-53	53-54	54-55
Fryeburg Academy,	9	6	5
Potter Academy,	11	14	21
Standish High,	6	6	9
Westbrook High,	0	1	1
Totals,	26	27	36

Improvements effected this past year include landscaping, a new commercial gas range for the noon lunch kitchen, and construction of a utility table for each classroom. The landscaping consisted of the installation of the walks and drives, seeded areas for lawn space, and considerable work pointed at improvement of the large play areas at the side and rear of the school. The play areas will need additional improvement in the ensuing year, but no appropriation is proposed. It is hoped that the existing balance of \$988 in the landscape account will prove sufficient for this purpose.

There are several factors affecting the school budget which I wish to bring to your attention. Although the total appropriation increase proposed for this year is but \$130, some particular items of cost have changed much more drastically than this. A considerable increase in the costs of high school tuition and of instructional costs, and a minor increase in conveyance costs are anticipated. Offsetting these is a larger unexpended balance, and an anticipated increase of educational subsidy funds from the state. The school department's estimate of state subsidy is based on the existing law, although there is always the possibility that this may be revised upward or downward by action of the current legislature.

It should be of interest to the citizens to note that although the average statewide valuation increase of last December was 115%, the state valuation increase of Baldwin was but 92%. This should be a favorable factor for the Town of Baldwin when these revised 1954 state valuations affect the subsidy formula two years hence.

Tables showing comparative expenditures and appropriations for a three-year period are included for your convenience and inspection.

III. COMPARATIVE EXPENDITURES

Account	(Estimated)		
	1953	1954	1955
Elementary maintenance:			
Instruction,	\$10,327.36	\$10,889.80	\$13,091.00
Fuel,	1,067.72	1,316.87	1,150.00
Janitor,	2,429.34	2,334.19	2,390.00
Conveyance,	4,351.39	5,197.04	5,789.00
Utilities,	763.96	553.61	700.00
Tuition,	687.75	615.36	450.00
Maintenance totals,	\$19,627.52	\$20,906.87	\$23,570.00
Books and supplies,	\$ 862.26	\$ 852.73	\$ 1,000.00
Repairs and equipment,	1,166.14	738.44	450.00
Auditorium account,	749.66	64.71	100.00
School lunch,	1,604.31	1,440.00	1,480.00
Insurance,	705.23	503.09	535.00
Landscaping,		2,034.37	300.00
Elementary totals,	\$24,715.12	\$26,540.21	\$27,435.00
High school tuition,	5,404.18	8,696.73	11,050.00
Grand totals,	\$30,119.30	\$35,236.94	\$38,485.00

IV. COMPARATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Account	1953	1954	Proposed
			1955
Elementary school,	\$16,300.00	\$17,500.00	\$17,400.00
Books and supplies,	700.00	800.00	650.00
Repairs and equipment,	500.00	600.00	400.00
Insurance,	750.00	525.00	475.00
School lunch,	1,500.00	1,200.00	1,480.00
High school tuition,	4,200.00	7,000.00	8,950.00
Auditorium,	850.00	100.00	
Landscaping,		1,500.00	
Totals,	\$24,800.00	\$29,225.00	\$29,355.00

The matter of the future supply of well-trained, competent teachers merits the attention of thinking citizens everywhere. The simple facts are, that despite improved salaries, not enough teachers are being produced to fill the number of vacancies occurring annually. This is more impressive when considered in relation to the average elementary teacher age of forty-seven years.

Certainly parents and citizens who will continue to demand competent teachers for their children will need to be attentive to the end that salaries and teaching conditions will be adequate to attract and hold the quality of teachers they expect.

In closing, I wish to express my sincere appreciation and thanks for the generous cooperation of the people of Baldwin, citizens and parents alike. It has been a pleasure to work in your behalf.

Respectfully submitted,
CARROLL B. RONCO,
Superintendent.

FINANCIAL REPORT

BALDWIN SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1954

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 5,093.87
Town appropriation,	17,500.00
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	7.81
State subsidy,	4,716.92
	<hr/> \$27,318.60

Expenses

Instruction,	\$10,889.80
Fuel,	1,316.87
Janitor,	2,334.19
Conveyance,	5,197.04
Tuition,	615.36
Utilities,	553.61
	<hr/> \$20,906.87
Unexpended this year,	6,411.73
	<hr/> \$27,318.60

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$112.41	
Town appropriation,	800.00	
State subsidy,	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,112.41

Expenses

Textbooks,	\$419.34	
Supplies,	433.39	
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	\$852.73	
Unexpended this year,	259.68	
	<hr/>	\$1,112.41

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$265.71	
Town appropriation,	600.00	
Louise Hussey, lunch stove,	65.00	
	<hr/>	\$930.71

Expenses

Repairs,	\$244.62	
Equipment,	493.82	
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	\$738.44	
Unexpended this year,	192.27	
	<hr/>	\$930.71

INSURANCE**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 55.19	
Town appropriation,	525.00	
Everett Riley, dividend refund,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$581.19

Expenses

Fire insurance,	\$493.09	
Liability insurance,	10.00	
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	\$503.09	
Unexpended this year,	78.10	
	<hr/>	\$581.19

SCHOOL LUNCH**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 484.52
Town appropriation,	1,200.00
	<hr/> \$1,684.52

Expenses

Ada McKenney, cook,	\$ 330.00
Edna Eldridge, cook,	750.00
Erma Nelson, cook,	60.00
Norma Thomas, cook,	80.00
Eleanor Murch, cook,	220.00
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	\$1,440.00
Unexpended this year,	244.52
	<hr/> \$1,684.52

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$1,061.53
Town appropriation,	7,000.00
Treasurer, State of Maine,	288.00
1954 State subsidy,	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$9,349.53

Expenses

City of Westbrook,	\$ 239.64
Town of Standish,	2,839.80
Town of Sebago,	3,946.67
Fryeburg Academy,	1,670.62
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	\$8,696.73
Unexpended this year,	652.80
	<hr/> \$9,349.53

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 225.00
Town appropriation,	1,500.00
Donation,	71.50
Carroll Babb, sale of slate,	2.00

Roscoe Spencer, sale of articles in closed schools,	19.00	
Lester Wood, sale of slate,	4.00	
Lester Wood, sale of used desks,	2.00	
Sale of East Baldwin School,	975.00	
Grange,	2.00	
Sale of furnace, East Baldwin Fire Co.,	200.00	
Vinal Good, refund on Marlow bond,	22.64	
		<hr/> \$3,023.14

Expenses

Manuel Stacey, landscaping,	\$2,034.37	
Unexpended this year,	988.77	
		<hr/> \$3,023.14

AUDITORIUM ACCOUNT

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$108.34	
Town appropriation,	100.00	
Grange, use of auditorium,	2.00	
Mrs. Sawyer, use of auditorium,	4.00	
Youth of Christ, use of auditorium,	2.00	
		<hr/> \$216.34

Expenses

Utilities,	\$ 64.71	
Unexpended this year,	151.63	
		<hr/> \$216.34

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Baldwin:

I submit the following report.

Rote songs are used in grade one. Singing games and playing rhythm band instruments are also enjoyed. Grades two and three learn to follow the words and music and are given rhythmic drills. Syllable reading is begun at the third grade level.

In these grades, especially, there are always voices off pitch, a natural physical thing and one that can be helped by singing a lot with pupils who sing correctly or on pitch. Eventually one by one they will usually sing on pitch.

Grades four and five are doing their usual good work. They have started two-part singing and are improving with each week's work.

Grades six, seven and eight are singing together this year. Three and four-part music is the goal for these grades and they are doing very good work. They come to the auditorium for this class. Music theory is studied and records are enjoyed.

Last May a group from these grades went to the western Maine Music Festival in Auburn and sang. They brought home an "EXCELLENT" on their rating sheet. While we still have a group in these grades doing fine choral work, they will not go to the Festival this year because of a ruling by the Association excluding all pupils under the 7th grade in the choral units.

This ruling was made to cut down on the attendance because the Festival was getting too large for any town or city to manage. The attendance last year was nearly seven thousand.

The pupils will give programs this spring, they invite you to attend and hope you will be pleased with their efforts.

Tuesday is the day for my weekly visit with the pupils for music work. I enjoy very much working with them and their teachers. If you can visit any of the music classes at any time, you will be most cordially welcome.

The school received from Mrs. Pierce a library of records, most of which are the Classics and valuable to own. The school is a most fortunate recipient and wishes to extend many thanks to Mrs. Pierce for this library.

To your teachers, may I extend my thanks and praise them for their fine cooperation, sustained interest, and excellent results which they have made possible.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. FLORA R. CARPENTER,

Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

1954

Public health nursing programs have expanded to the stage where understanding and participation by the people in the community are very necessary in order to continue. A program may be provided but is of little value unless understood and used.

It was very pleasing to note the number of mothers in Baldwin who apparently felt the Child Health Conference to be of value. During the three conferences held, Dr. Mahoney and Dr. DiBiaso gave physical examinations to 96 infants and pre-school children. Twenty-six were immunized against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus and 30 were vaccinated against smallpox. It is through these conferences that many children are given their start toward a healthy life.

In January, the last in a series of immunization clinics was held at the school where 19 children received protection against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus. Audiometer tests will be done this coming year to discover children who have any hearing loss. In some cases early care may prevent further damage.

One of the basic services brought to you by your nurse is home visiting. This provides the best opportunity to help any member of the family with a health problem. The kind and amount of help wanted varies greatly. The nurse can be of service in demonstrating care to the mother and in observing abnormal conditions. These should be called to the doctor's attention whether it be regarding her infant, school child or an aged person in the home.

We cannot afford to overlook the rapidly increasing recognition of problems of mental and emotional health. In the process of growing up, it is necessary for a child to learn to get along with himself and others and we have learned that the relationships surrounding him have much to do with his emotional attitude.

Crippled children's clinics and cardiac clinics are sponsored by the State for the purpose of consultation and for the correction of handicaps.

It is hoped that in the coming year a well-rounded school health program will be started which will provide a physical examination for each child at least four times during his school life. An organized group working together could bring this about as one of the steps toward making the community a healthy one.

I take this opportunity to thank those persons who in any way assisted with the program last year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS, R. N.,

Division of Public Health Nursing.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

January Thirty-One
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Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1954, and submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedules reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the close of the year.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment.

Exhibit "B" Balance Sheet.

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations.

Exhibit "D" Analysis of General Fund Surplus.

Schedule 1 Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements.

Schedule 2 Statement of Trust Funds.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collector of taxes, and selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1954. We ascertained that all cash shown to have been received by these officials had been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper and made such other tests as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at December 31, 1954, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By **FRED R. GOULD,**

Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT "B"

BALANCE SHEET

Year Ended December 31, 1954

Assets

General fund:

Current assets:

Cash,	\$13,132.50
Uncollected taxes,	5,252.90
Uncollected tax liens,	661.14
Accounts receivable,	10,331.11

Total assets general fund,	\$29,377.65
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Consolidated School Building fund:

Notes payable invested in construction,	\$22,500.00
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Trust funds invested:

Hannah Woodman fund,	\$ 1,000.00
Deacons Fountain fund,	657.56

Total trust funds,	\$1,657.56
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Total assets and trust funds,	\$53,535.21
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Liabilities and Reserve

Notes payable,	\$10,000.00
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Reserves:

School funds (Exhibit "C"),	\$8,979.50
Revaluation (Exhibit "C"),	1,500.00
Civil defense (Exhibit "C"),	100.00
Parker Road and Decker Road (Exhibit "C"),	49.93
Hurricane damage (Exhibit "C"),	8,544.23

Total Exhibit "C",	\$2,085.20
Excise taxes,	189.79

2,274.99

Surplus (Exhibit "D"),	17,102.66
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Total liabilities, reserves and surplus, \$29,377.65

Consolidated School Building fund:

Notes payable,	\$22,500.00
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Trust funds principal,	\$1,657.56
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Total liabilities, reserves, surplus and trust funds,	\$53,535.21
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EXHIBIT "D"

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL REVENUE FUND SURPLUS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1954

Balance, January 1, 1954,	\$10,983.09
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Additions:

Appropriations unexpended,	\$2,633.12
1954 excise tax receipts,	3,453.45
Tax lien costs—1953,	33.00

6,119.57

Balance, December 31, 1954,	\$17,102.66
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GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

February One
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Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

Complying with the Public Laws of 1945, Chapter 84, Section 119, we are mailing one copy of the audit report to the State Department of Audit, Division of Municipal Accounts, Augusta, Maine.

Very truly yours,

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

By FRED R. GOULD.

Mr. Clarence O'Brien
West Baltimore
Maryland



Annual Report

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor
WENDELL B. WIGGIN ROSCOE C. SPENCER
LEROY F. WOOD

Superintending School Committee
J. CARROLL BABB ROSCOE C. SPENCER
LESTER E. WOOD

Superintendent of Schools
CARROLL B. RONCO

Treasurer
JOHN O. SANBORN

Tax Collector
RAYMOND L. WOOD

Excise Tax Collector
HARRY F. WARD

Road Commissioners
JOHN H. CRAWFORD, JR., LESTER E. WOOD
MURRAY MILLIKEN

Town Forest Fire Warden
ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards
RAYMOND WOOD MURRAY MILLIKEN
ALBION MASON

Fence Viewers
NEIL WARREN GUY JONES

Health Officer
DR. ANTHONY DiBIASO

Constable
CARROLL EDWARDS

SUGGESTED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1956

Recommended by the Selectmen

Article 4.	Support of poor,	\$ 2,500.00
Article 5.	Roads and bridges,	4,500.00
Article 6.	Miscellaneous fund,	1,800.00
Article 7.	Cutting bushes on town roads,	500.00
Article 8.	State aid road,	1,066.00
Article 10.	Officers' compensation,	3,500.00
Article 11.	Snow removal,	6,000.00
Article 12.	Memorial Day fund,	75.00
Article 13.	Cemetery fund,	25.00
Article 14.	Street lights,	630.00
Article 15.	Interest on town loans and notes,	900.00
Article 16.	Audit,	300.00
Article 18.	Public health nurse,	100.00
Article 20.	Fire companies,	1,800.00
Article 22.	East Baldwin library,	200.00
Article 27.	Sodium fluoride,	80.00
Article 28.	School loan note,	5,000.00
Article 30.	Support of schools,	18,300.00
Article 31.	High school tuition,	11,700.00
Article 32.	Books and supplies,	650.00
Article 33.	Repairs and equipment,	400.00
Article 34.	School lunch,	1,480.00
Article 35.	School insurance,	475.00
Article 36.	Physical examinations,	100.00

TOWN WARRANT

To Carroll Edwards, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin,
in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Consolidated School, Baldwin, in said town, on the 5th day of March, 1956, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the report of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, and treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on the town roads.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944 as amended.

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of employing a certified public accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1956 taxes.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 19. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, of the Revised Statutes of 1954.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the fire companies.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the library at East Baldwin.

Art. 23. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Art. 24. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent taxpayers by the town.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to improve the Carl Burnell Road, so called.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to improve the Post Office driveway at East Baldwin.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eighty dollars (\$80.00) for a sodium fluoride clinic for treating the school children's teeth, grades 1 thru 8, at the Baldwin Consolidated School.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the annual payment on the school loan.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to prevent the spread of the Dutch Elm disease.

Art. 30. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school books and supplies.

Art. 33. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment.

Art. 34. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for a school lunch program.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school insurance.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for physical examinations for the school children.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to increase the fund for revaluing the town.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to improve the road over Usher's Hill.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to run the town lines.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar the road from Dug-hill Brook to the Deacon's Fountain.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 15th day of February, 1956.

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

ROSCOE C. SPENCER,

LEROY F. WOOD,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1955.

Respectfully submitted,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
ROSCOE C. SPENCER,
LEROY F. WOOD,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1955 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL, 1955

Real estate, resident,	\$179,165.00
Personal estate, resident,	45,377.00
Real estate, non-resident,	458,595.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	17,625.00
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Total valuation,	\$700,762.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$63,662.76
County tax,	1,822.80
Overlay,	2,408.60
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Committed to collector,	
including polls,	\$67,894.16
Excise tax collected,	3,788.92
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Total,	\$71,683.08
Number of polls taxed, 207, \$621.00.	
Number of polls not taxed, 55.	
Rate of taxation, .096.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

19 horses,	\$1,140.00	
21 oxen, bulls and beef cattle,	840.00	
121 milch cows,	6,050.00	
7 heifers over 2 years, not freshened,	210.00	
29 heifers, 18 months to 2 years,	580.00	
24,535 domestic fowl,	5,222.00	
	<hr/>	\$14,042.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

89 cattle, 18 months and younger,	\$1,780.00	
22 sheep,	220.00	
15 goats,	150.00	
16 swine,	160.00	
940 domestic fowl,	470.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,780.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 6,350.00	
Trailers,	2,000.00	
Logs,	2,390.00	
Lumber,	26,215.00	
Radios,	1,660.00	
Gasoline pumps,	1,220.00	
Musical instruments,	2,700.00	
Televisions,	5,950.00	
Tractors,	475.00	
Railroad property,	1,100.00	}
Light and Power Co.,	363,660.00	
Sawmills,	4,550.00	
Woodworking mill,	20,500.00	
Wood flour mill,	7,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$445,770.00

**SUMMARY OF TOTAL ROADS AND BRIDGES
ACCOUNT**

Appropriated by town,	\$4,500.00	
1954 balance on Decker Road,	49.93	
	<hr/>	\$4,549.93

Expended by Mr. Milliken,	\$1,224.62	
Expended by Mr. Wood,	1,567.96	
Expended by Mr. Crawford,	1,656.45	
	<hr/>	4,449.03

Balance, December 31, 1955, \$100.90

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Lester Wood, commissioner,	\$ 93.88
Tom Hammond & Son, lumber,	26.98
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	223.81
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	17.50
F. E. Wood & Sons, shovels and crow-	
bars,	13.68
Marlo Murch, labor,	37.50
Dennis Sanborn, truck,	81.95
Wirthmore Feed, nails,	2.40
William Sturgeon, loader,	40.00
William Sturgeon, truck,	18.00
William Sturgeon, labor,	8.00
Joseph Morton, labor,	6.00
Arnold Day, labor,	7.00
Russell Hoyt, labor,	16.25
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	43.00
Forrest Thorne, gravel,	2.10
David Brown, gravel,	1.50
Arthur Powers, truck,	104.05
Arthur Powers, labor,	48.75
Richard Buzzell, labor,	96.00
Everett Davis, labor,	9.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	17.00
Blue Rock Quarry,	91.59
Raymond Wood, gas,	8.28
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	77.50
Percy Estes, labor,	4.00
Roger Riley, labor,	12.00
Roger Riley, truck,	25.20
Timothy Brown, gravel,	6.00
George Graffam, labor,	7.00

John Kelley, gravel,	.90
Jesse Decker, labor,	25.00
John Crawford, labor,	51.70
Leslie Sanborn, gravel,	11.20
Roland Guptill, gravel,	6.40
Herbert Buzzell, labor,	15.00
Glendon Buzzell, labor,	8.00
Raymond Murch, Jr., labor,	11.00
Chester Decker, labor,	3.00
Clifford Verrill, labor,	6.00
New England Metal Culvert, cul- verts,	262.84
Norman McKenney, labor,	21.00
	<hr/> \$1,567.96

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$276.60
Murray Milliken, repairs and bolts,	5.70
Murray Milliken, truck,	55.55
Murray Milliken, advanced money to Frazier,	24.00
William Sturgeon, labor,	11.80
William Sturgeon, shovel,	80.00
William Sturgeon, bulldozer,	100.00
William Sturgeon, truck,	25.48
William Sturgeon, loader,	15.00
Roger Riley, truck,	43.55
Roger Riley, labor,	23.75
Everett Davis, labor,	16.90
Everett Davis, truck,	30.74
Clarence Warren, labor,	4.75
Percy Estes, labor,	101.75
Robert Pike, gravel,	4.80
Merle Moore, labor,	13.90
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	38.00
Fred Doughty, labor,	15.00
John Kelly & Son, lumber and gravel,	14.32
Wilbur Hammond, loader,	8.00

Guy Ridlon, labor,	3.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	76.00
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	45.08
E. R. & P. L. Walker, repairs,	4.30
David Estes, labor,	27.00
W. W. Harmon, bulldozer,	16.00
Saco Valley Garage, repairs,	8.50
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	114.15
Lester Frazier, labor,	21.00
	<hr/> \$1,224.62

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

John Crawford, commissioner,	\$335.15
Forrest Thorne, gravel,	7.10
Forrest Thorne, labor,	28.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	253.50
Frank York, labor,	229.50
Everett Davis, labor,	167.80
Everett Davis, truck,	106.00
Raymond Thombs, labor,	19.00
Roger Riley, labor,	16.00
Roger Riley, truck,	28.80
Percy Estes, labor,	16.00
M. P. Fitch, tools,	11.98
H. F. Partridge, gas,	69.05
Wendell B. Wiggin, labor and team,	6.00
Alfred Crawford, labor,	76.00
Louis Chessey, sharpening tools,	2.25
Davis' Store, gas,	14.45
New England Metal Culvert Co., cul- verts,	134.85
Will Cram, labor,	2.00
Franklin Walker, labor,	35.00
Hardy's Garage, repairs,	4.12
Wirthmore Feed, supplies,	2.40
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	52.00
Bancroft & Martin, culvert,	8.13
Norman McKenney, labor,	26.50
Raymond Wood, gas,	4.87
	<hr/> \$1,656.45

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,200.00
Due from the State,	2,111.20
Unexpended balance, January 1,	18.60
1955,	<hr/> \$3,329.80
Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$204.44
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	319.11
Raymond Orben, Jr., labor,	5.00
Marlo Murch, labor,	8.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	131.50
Raymond Murch, Jr., labor,	8.00
George Anderson, labor,	6.00
George Anderson, truck,	23.63
Everett Davis, labor,	68.50
Richard Buzzell, labor,	57.50
Arthur Powers, labor,	69.00
Roger Riley, labor,	25.00
Anderson and Irish, loader,	15.00
Everett Davis, truck,	123.53
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	121.50
Roger Riley, truck,	56.26
Arthur Powers, truck,	146.25
Wirthmore Feed Co., fencing,	22.55
John Crawford, labor,	137.00
Franklin Walker, labor,	63.50
Oliver Irish, labor,	4.50
Alfred Robinson, labor,	4.50
Town of Sebago, sand,	6.00
Alfred Crawford, labor,	131.00
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	117.26
J. O. Sanborn, 3rd, bulldozer opera- tor,	109.50
Willis Harmon, dozer,	292.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	340.26
Kopper's Co., tar,	372.02
Roy Wood, labor,	4.00
John Lord, Jr., labor,	1.50
Raymond Anderson, labor,	12.00

Leon Morton, shovel operator,	13.12	
Wendell Wiggin, gravel,	145.20	
Forrest Thorne, gravel,	37.60	
Town truck,	15.00	
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1955,	<hr/>	\$113.07
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CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	212.26	
	<hr/>	\$512.26
Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$ 88.55	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	72.00	
Percy Estes, labor,	36.00	
David Estes, labor,	66.00	
Frank Harding, labor,	4.00	
Frank Harding, tractor,	6.00	
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	32.64	
John Crawford, commissioner,	61.52	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	29.00	
Jesse Decker, labor,	53.50	
Franklin Walker, labor,	21.00	
John Crawford, tractor,	15.00	
Joseph Rankin, labor,	26.00	
Albert Locke, tractor,	10.00	
Guy Jones, tractor,	118.25	
Frank York, labor,	24.50	
John Lord, Jr., labor,	1.50	
	<hr/>	665.46

Overdraft, December 31, 1955,	<hr/>	\$153.20
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ANDERSON ROAD

Appropriated by the town,		\$500.00
Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$ 36.80	
Joe Beal, bulldozer,	132.00	
Joseph Stokes, labor,	16.00	

Percy Estes, labor,	32.00	
Lester Frazier, labor,	10.00	
William Sturgeon, bulldozer,	80.00	
William Sturgeon, shovel,	80.00	
Everett Davis, labor,	16.00	
Murray Milliken, money advanced to Frazier,	6.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	28.80	
Roger Riley, labor,	16.00	
Roger Riley, truck,	28.80	
John Kelly, gravel,	31.00	
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		513.40

Overdraft, December 31, 1955, \$13.40

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Apportioned by State,	\$5,012.91	
Town's share, gravel,	464.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1955,	61.23	
		<hr/>
		\$5,538.14

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$257.64
J. O. Sanborn, 3rd, dozer operator,	206.75
Everett Davis, labor,	87.50
Murray Milliken, labor,	174.70
Richard Buzzell, labor,	36.00
Raymond Anderson, labor,	108.50
David Estes, labor,	2.00
Roger Riley, labor,	107.50
Joe Rankin, labor,	10.00
Arthur Powers, labor,	94.00
Joe Stokes, labor,	157.50
George Anderson, labor,	103.50
George Anderson, loader operator,	30.00
George Anderson, truck,	357.76
Howard Lord, grader,	315.50
John W. Cole, labor,	23.00
Anderson & Irish, loader,	60.00
Everett Smith, labor,	16.00

Town of Baldwin, truck,	30.00
Everett Davis, truck,	218.01
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	362.92
Wood Brothers, truck,	117.00
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	205.82
Roger Riley, truck,	241.88
Arthur Powers, truck,	211.50
Edward Roberts, truck,	51.75
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	555.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	512.14
Anderson & Irish, shovel,	37.50
Percy Estes, labor,	6.00
Murray Milliken, truck,	3.00
Lester Burnell, gas and oil,	44.72
Walter Poor, gravel,	159.60
Robert Norton, gravel,	260.40
Robert Pike, gravel,	44.00
	<hr/> 5,209.09
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	\$329.05
Transferred to Murch Road account,	200.00
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Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955,	\$129.05

WIGGIN ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$25.30
Jesse Decker, labor,	20.00
Everett Davis, labor,	17.00
Everett Davis, truck,	38.75
Frank York, labor,	19.00
George Anderson, shovel operator,	8.00
Anderson & Irish, shovel,	20.00
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	74.00
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, bulldozer operator,	27.75
Arthur Powers, labor,	16.00
Arthur Powers, truck,	33.75

Willis Harmon, shovel,	29.47	
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	10.99	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	2.00	
	<hr/>	342.01

Overdraft, December 31, 1955, \$42.01

WOOD'S MILL ROAD AND SMUT STREET

Appropriated by the town for		
Wood's Mill Road,	\$550.00	
Appropriated by the town for		
Smut Street,	750.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,300.00

John Crawford, labor,	\$ 33.93	
Jesse Decker, labor,	29.50	
Arthur Powers, truck,	34.26	
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	17.88	
Everett Davis, truck,	22.50	
Everett Davis, labor,	22.50	
Arthur Powers, labor,	25.00	
Richard Buzzell, labor,	2.00	
Franklin Walker, labor,	2.00	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	2.00	
Roger Riley, truck,	2.25	
Roger Riley, labor,	1.00	
George Anderson, loader,	8.75	
William Sturgeon, loader,	50.00	
Town of Sebago, sand,	4.40	
Robert Pike, sand,	4.40	
Lester Wood, commissioner,	27.60	
F. E. Wood & Sons, mill crew labor,	40.00	
Paul Estes, truck,	4.50	
Paul Estes, labor,	2.00	
Koppers Co., Inc., tar,	626.56	
Lester Wood, Jr., labor,	1.50	
Clarence Churchill, shovel,	62.00	
William Sturgeon, truck,	63.37	
	<hr/>	1,089.90

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955, \$210.10

MURCH ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$800.00	
From town road improvement fund,	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 46.61	
Jesse Decker, labor,	26.00	
Raymond Murch, Jr., labor,	7.00	
Raymond Orben, Jr., labor,	4.00	
Richard Buzzell, labor,	11.00	
Frank York, labor,	7.50	
George Anderson, shovel and labor,	10.50	
Everett Davis, labor,	30.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	24.30	
Roger Riley, labor,	3.00	
Roger Riley, truck,	6.75	
T. Arthur Powers, labor,	10.00	
T. Arthur Powers, truck,	22.50	
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	25.95	
Marlo Murch, labor,	7.00	
Henry Crawford, labor,	9.50	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	8.00	
John Hurst, labor,	4.50	
Joseph Morton, Jr., labor,	3.50	
Roscoe Spencer, money advanced to		
R. Orben,	5.00	
Raymond Anderson, labor,	3.50	
Allen Dolloff, labor,	8.00	
Town of Sebago, sand,	16.50	
George Anderson, shovel operator,	10.00	
Anderson & Irish, shovel,	25.00	
H. F. Partridge, gas,	8.61	
Forrest Thorne, labor,	2.00	
George Anderson, truck,	11.25	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	15.00	
Alfred Robinson, labor,	5.50	
Oliver Irish, labor,	5.50	
Franklin Walker, labor,	15.00	
Harry McKenney, labor,	6.88	
Koppers Co., tar,	699.99	
	<hr/>	1,105.34
Overdraft, December 31, 1955,		<hr/> \$105.34

SAND POND ROAD

Appropriated by the town,		\$500.00
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 49.45	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	3.00	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	3.00	
Jesse Decker, labor,	40.00	
Frank York, labor,	32.00	
Everett Davis, labor,	12.50	
Everett Davis, truck,	22.50	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	2.00	
New England Metal Culvert Co., culvert,	288.20	
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer and operator,	42.00	
Henry Crawford, labor,	8.00	
Raymond Wood, gas,	8.46	
	<hr/>	511.11
Overdraft, December 31, 1955,		<hr/> \$11.11

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00	
Received from the State,	1,946.10	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,946.10
John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 551.74	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	229.00	
Carl Hawkins, labor,	114.00	
Arthur Powers, labor,	156.88	
Arthur Powers, truck,	303.91	
Frank York, labor,	129.00	
Edwin Crawford, power saw,	11.00	
Lester Frazier, labor,	20.00	
Anderson & Irish, shovel,	32.50	
Leon Morton, operator,	21.32	
Town of Sebago, sand,	28.80	
Everett Davis, labor,	251.00	
Everett Davis, truck,	423.35	
Alfred Crawford, labor,	103.00	
Raymond Thombs, labor,	124.50	

Norman McKenney, labor,	32.00
Norman McKenney, truck,	15.75
Henry Crawford, labor,	4.50
J. C. Babb, labor,	8.00
Maine Central Railroad, freight,	362.70
Edwin Crawford, repairs for Ford,	11.20
Everett Perkins, labor,	8.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	1,023.97
Arnold Day, labor,	42.00
Richard Buzzell, labor,	55.00
Alan Dolloff, labor,	16.02
George Dolloff, labor,	16.02
Wood's Garage, repairs,	470.10
Raymond Orben, labor,	13.00
Merle Harmon, labor,	43.55
Dennis Sanborn, labor,	48.00
Russell Hoyt, labor,	41.00
Belle Highway Steel, cutting edges,	286.64
Arthur Hoyt, labor,	8.00
Raymond Wood, labor, parts, re- pairs,	626.71
Roger Riley, labor,	300.30
Llewellyn Verrill, labor,	108.50
Roger Riley, truck,	262.49
Guy Ridlon, labor,	26.00
Guy Ridlon, tractor,	91.25
Treasurer of State,	434.00
Eastern Tractor, parts,	11.88
E. R. & P. L. Walker, repairs,	50.60
Forest City Motor Co., parts,	18.62
Northeast Motors, parts,	2.62
Linwood Noble, labor,	4.00
Murray Milliken, commissioner,	207.85
Murray Milliken, truck,	150.00
Ralph Crawford, labor,	131.50
Ralph Crawford, truck,	34.38
Clifford Verrill, labor,	92.50
Percy Estes, labor,	29.50
William Bros., Inc., parts,	31.44

Wirthmore Feed Co., stove pipe,	.75
Chutes' Express,	3.48
Lester Burnell, labor,	144.27
Lester Irish, labor,	8.00
A. T. Hester, repairs,	317.61
H. F. Partridge, gas,	124.90
M. P. Fitch, supplies,	8.50
Knowlton Machine Co., parts,	10.57
Jewett & Gunter, hydraulic oil,	2.55
Wendell Wiggin, parts,	2.14
Files & O'Keefe, repairs,	357.56
Donald Haskell, labor,	41.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	155.00
W. H. Shurtleff, salt,	898.60
Ralph Cram, labor,	3.50
Stultz Automobile, parts,	48.27
Millard Tripp, Sr., labor,	2.00
Gerald Davis, labor,	13.00
Hardy's Garage, repairs,	171.35
Clarence Warren, labor,	17.50
Houghton Arnold Co.,	58.90
Millard Tripp, Jr., labor,	2.00
George Anderson, labor as operator,	8.00
George Anderson, shovel,	20.00
Raymond Ayer, gravel,	30.00
George Anderson, truck,	18.00
Edward Roberts, labor,	8.00
Edward Roberts, truck,	18.00
Harry Roberts, operator,	17.25
Willis Harmon, truck,	18.00
Willis Harmon, labor,	8.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	110.36
Guy Jones, labor,	8.00
Guy Jones, tractor,	20.00
Merle Moore, labor,	10.00
Lester Wood, commissioner,	37.23
William Sturgeon, loader,	115.50
William Sturgeon, truck,	31.00
William Sturgeon, tractor,	20.00

John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	3.00
Leroy Wood, labor,	1.00
Oswald Wentworth, labor,	8.00
Hilton Henry, painting,	15.00
Raymond Anderson, labor,	13.00
Portland Tractor Co.,	56.18
	<hr/> 10,604.56

Overdraft, December 31, 1955, \$3,658.46

GENERAL RELIEF

Appropriated by the town,	\$2,500.00
Balance, January 1, 1955,	69.95
Received from:	
Case No. 1,	165.00
State on Leon Cressey,	1,553.86
Hiram on Case No. 5,	61.39
Harpswell on Case No. 8,	263.14
Standish on Case No. 7,	508.56
State on Harry Walker,	70.54
Due from Brownfield, Case No. 3,	438.15
Due from Brownfield, Case No. 12,	285.75
	<hr/> \$5,916.34
Case No. 1, board and fuel,	\$ 358.95
Case No. 2, groceries and doctor,	191.98
Case No. 3, clothing, doctor, groceries, and hospital,	438.15
Case No. 4, doctor and hospital,	249.92
Leon Cressey, groceries, doctor, and clothing,	1,346.66
Case No. 5, groceries,	106.39
Case No. 6, hospital,	127.00
William Walker, groceries, clothing, and doctor,	404.29
Minnie Judkins, groceries, fuel, and doctor,	343.17
Case No. 7, groceries and doctor,	400.66
Case No. 8, doctor and hospital,	249.14
Case No. 9, care and doctor,	484.50

A. D. C. cases, town's share 18%,	766.98
Ellsworth Moore, groceries,	663.03
Case No. 10, doctor and fuel,	275.70
Chutes' Express, express charges on	
State food,	13.65
Charles Yates, groceries,	450.24
Everett Perkins, board,	81.00
Harry Walker, doctor,	30.00
Case No. 11, groceries,	204.09
Case No. 12, doctor,	285.75
	<hr/> 7,471.25

Overdraft, December 31, 1955, \$1,554.91

Total bill now due Baldwin from Brownfield is \$2,-225.77. The Baldwin selectmen have been to see the Brownfield selectmen about this bill. They have promised to put an article in their warrant for this spring's regular town meeting to raise this money.

MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriation by the town,	\$1,600.00
Balance, January 1, 1955,	162.56
State's share of gypsy moth spray-	
ing,	15.40
Received from treasurer of State,	
license Dancemore,	2.00
Bank stock tax,	13.25
Received from Brown Cemetery	
fund,	25.00
	<hr/> \$1,818.21

Western Maine Forestry, gypsy	
spray,	\$ 38.50
J. Everett Riley, insurance,	111.16
Raymond Murch, fire patrol,	22.00
David Estes, fire patrol,	12.00
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, fire patrol,	12.00
Philip Martel, fire patrol,	10.00
Congdon Transportation Co., express,	1.10
Saco Valley Garage, repairs,	5.00

Arthur Parker, error taxes,	2.40
H. H. Hay & Sons, medical supplies,	10.11
Forest City Motor Co., truck parts,	12.43
Ida Ward, postage, etc.,	12.27
Roxa B. Palmer, real estate transfers,	17.60
Maine Municipal Association, yearly dues,	35.00
Raymond Wood, labor grader, etc.,	46.16
Discount Martin, selectmen's supplies,	9.04
Wendell B. Wiggin, town supplies,	13.44
L. C. Andrew, town supplies,	51.51
M. P. Fitch, town office supplies,	8.01
Donald Flint, surveying,	18.00
Sebago Lake Garage, repairs and parts,	31.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, dozing town dump,	77.00
Bancroft & Martin, culvert,	37.73
Leroy F. Wood, mileage and telephone,	71.96
Cornish Library Association, rent superintendent of schools office,	42.00
Ernest Bliss, Brown Cemetery,	25.00
Murray Milliken, car hire,	5.00
Chester V. Small, town reports,	290.00
Myra B. Andrews, treasurer's supplies,	23.21
Chester V. Small, town printing,	17.10
L. W. Somers Co., treasurer's bond,	92.50
Central Maine Power Co., traffic light,	29.60
Marks Printing House, town supplies,	51.38
Files & O'Keefe, grader blade,	12.00
U. S. Auto Guide,	8.50
New England Telephone and Telegraph, office phone,	75.73
Maine State Library,	36.50

Wendell B. Wiggin, mileage, telephone, postage, etc.,	182.45	
Roscoe C. Spencer, mileage and telephone,	156.00	
John O. Sanborn, mileage, etc.,	64.93	
Central Maine Power Co., plow shed lights,	48.00	
Loring, Short & Harmon, selectmen supplies,	7.60	
Treasurer, State of Maine, compressor, State aid road,	34.00	
	<hr/>	1,866.92
Overdraft, December 31, 1955,		<hr/> \$48.71

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,		\$3,250.00
J. Carroll Babb, school committee,	\$ 50.00	
Roscoe Spencer, school committee,	50.00	
Lester Wood, school committee,	50.00	
Dr. Anthony DiBiaso, health officer,	25.00	
Raymond Wood, tax collector,	692.31	
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	12.00	
Carroll Edwards, constable,	10.00	
Wendell B. Wiggin, selectman,	846.75	
Carroll B. Ronco, superintendent,	874.86	
Roscoe Spencer, selectman,	457.00	
John O. Sanborn, treasurer,	300.00	
Leroy F. Wood, selectman,	338.50	
Roscoe Spencer, moderator,	20.00	
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	90.00	
J. Carroll Babb, ballot clerk,	4.00	
Ruth Wood, ballot clerk,	8.00	
Harry Ward, excise collector,	80.70	
	<hr/>	3,909.12
Overdraft, December 31, 1955,		<hr/> \$659.12

LAWSUIT ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,060.76
Balance, January 1, 1955,	388.00
	<hr/> \$1,448.67
Paid Richard Sanborn, attorney,	\$1,448.67

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,200.00
Paid North Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$400.00
Paid East Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
Paid West Baldwin Fire Co.,	400.00
	<hr/> \$1,200.00

ANTICIPATION OF TAX NOTES

Borrowed in anticipation of taxes,	\$20,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$20,000.00

INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,000.00
Balance, January 1, 1955,	140.97
	<hr/> \$1,140.97
Paid interest on all town notes,	970.80
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Balance, December 31, 1955,	\$170.17

AUDIT ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$275.00
Paid Graffam's Accounting Service,	\$275.00

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$5,000.00

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid Dr. Anthony DiBiasco,	\$100.00

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Ellie K. Hawes, county treasurer,	\$1,822.80
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SANDER ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00
Paid Hedge & Mather's Co.,	202.50

Balance, December 31, 1955,	\$97.50
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EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid East Baldwin Library Association,	\$100.00

MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00
Paid Williams-Goodwin Post,	\$75.00

HURRICANE EDNA ACCOUNT

Borrowed from Kezar Falls Na-	
tional Bank,	\$10,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank:	
Town appropriation,	\$2,500.00
Federal government aid re-	
ceived,	5,721.65
From town treasury,	1,778.35
	<hr/> \$10,000.00

The last 25% of the Hurricane Edna bill is still due from the Federal government. The last papers and blanks have been filled out and signed by the selectmen and are now being processed by the Federal government auditors. The selectmen still have no way of knowing what the amount of the final check will be.

HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid State Health and Welfare Department,	\$100.00

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by the town,	\$622.00
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1955,	8.00
	<hr/> \$630.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.,	\$630.00

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00	
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1955,	396.07	
J. Everett Riley, refund,	57.68	
	<hr/>	\$553.75
J. Everett Riley,		201.92
		<hr/>
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955,		\$351.83

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriated by the town, 1954,	\$100.00	
Appropriated by the town, 1955,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$200.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955,		\$200.00

REVALUATION FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,500.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955,	\$1,500.00

TOWN DUMP

Appropriated by the town, 1954,	\$250.00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955,	\$250.00

GENERAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT**Resources**

Appropriated by the town,	\$17,400.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	6,411.73	
Balance, January 1, 1955, of auditorium account,	151.63	
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	6.54	
Mt. Etna Grange, use of auditorium,	8.00	
State subsidy,	4,608.00	
	<hr/>	\$28,585.90

Expenses

Teaching,	\$12,178.26	
Fuel,	1,316.20	
Janitor,	2,301.68	
Conveyance,	5,501.82	
Elementary tuition,	487.50	
Utilities,	681.72	
	<hr/>	22,467.18

Unexpended balance, De-
cember 31, 1955,

\$6,118.72

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Flora Carpenter,	\$ 650.00	
Gladys Cartret,	1,912.79	
Muriel Hoyt,	1,786.28	
Maxine Pierce,	1,492.07	
Ida Ward,	1,900.97	
Eleanor Clinch,	1,815.41	
Rinehart Handwriting System,	300.00	
Helen Stickney,	57.50	
Alice Boothby,	120.00	
Dorothy Merrifield,	55.00	
Margaret Lord,	10.00	
Nellie Black,	100.00	
Teachers' insurance,	184.71	
Withholding tax,	1,247.00	
Teachers' retirement fund,	546.53	
	<hr/>	\$12,178.26

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Sebago,

\$487.50

UTILITIES

New England Telephone and Tele-
graph,

\$ 75.78

Norton Hardware,

88.00

Carroll B. Ronco,

26.23

Cleon Dyer,

.98

Treasurer, State of Maine,

3.90

Central Maine Power Co.,

486.83

\$681.72

CONVEYANCE

Anita Eldridge,	\$1,603.86
Ada McKenney,	1,697.08
Arthur Richards,	195.00
Thelma Warren,	1,883.96
Everett Riley, insurance,	121.92
	<hr/> \$5,501.82

FUEL

George W. Jewett & Son, Inc.,	\$1,316.20
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JANITOR

Cleon Dyer, janitor,	\$1,763.90
Roland Gupstill,	21.75
Triangle Filling Station,	3.08
Milton Bradley Co.,	53.60
J. I. Holcomb Co.,	214.60
Sani-Clean Distributors,	118.65
Collector of internal revenue,	126.10
	<hr/> \$2,301.68

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by the town,	\$400.00
Balance, January 1, 1955,	192.27
	<hr/> \$592.27
Curran Electric,	\$ 5.82
Edward Sullivan,	.53
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	2.00
American Playground,	38.28
G. W. Jewett & Son, Inc.,	15.00
Portland Veos Tile,	15.76
J. L. Hammett Co.,	9.00
Roland Gupstill,	3.00
M. P. Fitch,	6.06
Arundel Print Shop,	1.67
Royal Typewriter Co.,	1.32
Saco Valley Garage,	10.00
Cornish Hardware Co.,	6.31
Cleon Dyer,	119.00
Paris Manufacturing Co.,	83.55
Norton Hardware,	51.03

L. C. Andrew,	7.52	
Clement Music Shop,	22.00	
Wendell B. Tripp,	4.00	
	<hr/>	401.85

Unexpended balance, Decem-
ber 31, 1955, \$190.42

SCHOOL INSURANCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$475.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	78.10	
J. Everett Riley, refund,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$554.10
Paid J. Everett Riley,	\$ 10.00	
Paid Myron T. Locke Agency,	483.83	
	<hr/>	493.83

Unexpended balance, Decem-
ber 31, 1955, \$60.27

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriated by the town,	\$650.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	259.68	
State subsidy,	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,109.68
Carroll B. Ronco,	\$ 13.49	
World Book Co.,	64.13	
Webster Publishing Co.,	23.82	
Treasurer of State,	2.50	
City of Portland,	7.65	
Shepherds,	29.67	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	174.89	
Beckley-Cardy Co.,	7.53	
Allen & Bacon,	75.96	
Chester V. Small,	21.35	
Follette Publishing Co.,	14.34	
Mills Music, Inc.,	10.15	
Scott Foresman Co.,	102.12	
R. Ray Redin,	4.90	
Benton Review,	17.10	

Ginn & Co.,	122.05	
Silver Burdett Co.,	84.18	
Macmillan Co.,	30.48	
E. M. Hale & Co.,	8.40	
Cascade Paper Co.,	134.58	
Laidlaw Bros.,	23.13	
The Continental Press,	10.05	
	<hr/>	982.47

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955, \$127.21

SCHOOL LUNCH

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,480.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	244.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,724.52
Edna Eldridge, cook,	\$583.00	
Norma Thomas, assistant cook,	140.00	
Irma Nelson, assistant cook,	150.00	
Alice Wood, assistant cook,	60.00	
Doris Sanborn, cook,	367.50	
Collector of internal revenue,	99.50	
	<hr/>	1,400.00

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955, \$324.52

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriated by the town,	\$8,950.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	652.80	
State subsidy,	1,600.00	
Treasurer of State, reimbursement,	160.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,362.80
City of Westbrook,	\$ 119.39	
Fryeburg Academy,	1,923.08	
Town of Sebago,	6,129.84	
Town of Standish,	1,876.48	
Town of Gorham,	307.30	
	<hr/>	10,356.09

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1955, \$1,006.71

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT

Sale of West Baldwin schoolhouse,	\$1,000.00	
Balance, January 1, 1955,	988.77	
	<hr/>	\$1,988.77
Wirthmore Feed Co., fertilizer,	\$ 15.55	
Sears, Roebuck & Co., hose and noz-		
zles,	43.11	
Northeast Co., lawn mower,	63.71	
Meserve's Express, express,	1.15	
Joseph Beal, bulldozer,	104.50	
Roland Guptill, tractor and labor,	60.00	
Delbert Guptill, labor,	30.00	
Cleon Dyer, labor,	3.50	
Douglas Gilpatric, labor,	5.00	
	<hr/>	326.52
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Unexpended balance, Decem-		
ber 31, 1955,		\$1,662.25

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Town appropriation,	\$100.00
Dr. DiBiaso, examinations,	\$100.00

REPORT OF FIRE COMPANIES

WEST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY

For Calendar Year 1955

Received

Balance, January 1, 1955,	\$506.49
Dues,	74.00
Activities,	514.49
Donation from town,	400.00
Other donations,	183.00
	<hr/> \$1,677.98

Expended

Equipment,	\$ 888.94
General maintenance,	356.56
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	\$1,245.50
Balance, January 1, 1956,	432.48
	<hr/> \$1,677.98

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD T. FLINT,

Treasurer.

NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC.

Treasurer's Report for January 1, 1956

Cash on hand, January 1, 1955,	\$ 76.42
Dues received 1955,	33.00
Appropriated by town for 1954 and 1955,	800.00
Contributions by members, 1955,	36.98
Activities,	166.14
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Total receipts,	\$1,112.54

Disbursements

Fuel and lights,	\$ 63.75
Insurance on truck, men and build- ings,	140.54
New equipment for building and truck, and maintenance,	331.04
General expenses,	98.01
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Total expenses,	\$633.34
Unexpended balance, January 1, 1956,	479.20
	<hr/> \$1,112.54

Respectfully submitted,

EDSON H. STACY,

Treasurer.

EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY,
INC.

Cash on hand, February 7, 1955,	\$100.45
Activities,	104.91
Dues,	34.00
Donation from the town,	400.00
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Total,	\$639.36

Total Spent

Fuel and lights,	\$290.51
Insurance,	126.54
Miscellaneous expenses,	37.36
On hand, February 14, 1956,	184.95
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Total,	\$639.36

Respectfully submitted,

LEROY F. WOOD,

Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State, \$103.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Births recorded,	21
Marriages recorded,	13

DEATHS

February 25, in Portland, Harris P. Wood.
 March 12, in Portland, Louamie Churchill.
 April 6, in Portland, Myrtelle Bickford.
 April 12, in Baldwin, Archie W. McKewen.
 May 26, in Sebago, Wilson E. Shaw.
 May 31, in Westbrook, Myron Leslie Sanborn.
 October 4, in Portland, Harry S. Milliken.
 October 8, in Baldwin, Elizabeth M. Bernard.
 October 10, in Baldwin, Mabel F. Guptill.
 October 25, in Portland, Elmer E. Weeman.
 October 27, in Portland, Margaret C. Graffam.
 October 27, in Gray, Elizabeth F. Harding.
 November 4, in Portland, Ivory Thombs.
 November 5, in Brunswick, Ralph W. E. Giles.
 November 22, in Sebago, George E. Binford.
 November 24, in Baldwin, Elmer E. Black.
 December 9, in Baldwin, Lulu L. Hodgdon.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,
Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin, Maine

Year Ending December 31, 1955

Taxes:

Current year,	\$64,030.76	
Prior taxes,	4,661.07	
Liens paid during year,	803.28	
Excise taxes,	3,805.26	
	\$ 73,300.34	

State grants:

Highways,	\$11,653.06	
Hurricane damage,	10,025.52	
Health and welfare,	1,624.40	
Dog tax refund,	3.32	
Bank stock tax,	13.25	
Dance license and blower spray,	17.40	
School maintenance,	6,568.00	
	29,904.95	

Other receipts:

Temporary loans,	\$20,000.00	
Sale of school property,	1,000.00	
Town of Standish, poor ac- count,	508.56	
Town of Hiram, poor ac- count,	61.39	
Town of Harpswell, poor ac- count,	263.14	
Central Maine Power Co., land,	100.00	
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, Bin- ford lot,	100.00	

Mary Guptill, aid rendered,	165.00
J. Everett Riley, liability re-	
fund,	57.68
Several small amounts,	40.54

\$22,296.31

Cash balance, January 1,	
1955,	10,981.58

33,277.89

Total to be accounted for,	\$136,483.18
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Total checks drawn,	\$119,489.59
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Cash balance, December 31, 1955,	16,993.59
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\$136,483.18

ACCOUNTS HELD IN TRUST

Brown Cemetery Fund, U. S. Savings Bond,	
Series G, 2½ % interest,	\$1,000.00

Deacon's Fountain Fund, Maine Savings	
Bank, Portland, Maine, Book No. 2046,	
cash,	\$666.36

JOHN O. SANBORN,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1955

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

It is a pleasure to submit my second annual report as
superintendent of schools.

There were no staff changes in the faculty since last
year, although I regret to report that Mrs. Clinch is
temporarily absent from her classroom duties for ma-
ternity leave. Elementary enrollments show a slight
decrease from last year, but there has been a consider-
able percentage increase in the number of pupils at-
tending secondary school. We must anticipate another
increase in the number of pupils attending high school
next year.

Enrollment tables as of December first, annually, are
shown below for a three-year period for your compari-
son.

I. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DATA

Teacher	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Eleanor Clinch,	22	4							26
Maxine Pierce,		17	10						27
Muriel Hoyt,			11	8	7				26
Gladys Cartret,					5	13			18
Ida Ward,							13	15	28
1955-56 totals,	22	21	21	8	12	13	13	15	125
1954-55 totals,	24	24	10	13	13	12	17	17	130
1953-54 totals,	24	10	16	15	10	17	19	18	129

(Music: Flora Carpenter)

II. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

School	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56
Fryeburg Academy,	6	5	7
Potter Academy,	14	21	28
Standish High,	6	9	7
Westbrook High,	1	1	0
Gorham High,	0	0	2
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Totals,	27	36	44

The wooden portions of the exterior of the building were painted last summer, and improvement of the seeded area of the grounds was continued. In addition, an area at the rear of the building was bulldozed and leveled to provide a girls' softball field. Some additional work will have to be done on this new area, which should make a valuable contribution to the outdoor program. No appropriation is being asked for this purpose because of the existing balance in the landscape account.

A considerably increased total appropriation will be required to support the program outlined in the school department budget. The bulk of this increase is in high school tuition, where we anticipate a cost some \$3,500.00 greater than the cost for this year. Like last year, the reason is that the number of Baldwin pupils attending high school is in a period of rapid increase while the individual tuition rates of the several high schools are increasing also.

Tables of comparative appropriations and expenditures are provided for your study.

III. COMPARATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Account	1954	1955	Proposed 1956
Elementary school,	\$17,500.00	\$17,400.00	\$18,300.00
Books and supplies,	800.00	650.00	800.00
Repairs and equipment,	600.00	400.00	400.00
Insurance,	525.00	475.00	475.00
School lunch,	1,200.00	1,480.00	1,480.00
High school tuition,	7,000.00	8,950.00	11,700.00
Auditorium,	100.00		
Landscaping,	1,500.00		
Medical inspection,		100.00	100.00
Totals,	\$29,225.00	\$29,455.00	\$33,255.00

IV. COMPARATIVE EXPENDITURES

Account	1954	1955	Estimated 1956
Elementary maintenance:			
Instruction,	\$10,889.80	\$12,178.26	\$13,887.00
Fuel,	1,316.87	1,316.20	1,300.00
Janitor,	2,334.19	2,301.68	2,390.00
Conveyance,	5,197.04	5,501.82	5,944.00
Utilities,	553.61	681.72	700.00
Tuition,	615.36	487.50	375.00
Maintenance totals,	\$20,906.87	\$22,467.18	\$24,596.00
Books and supplies,	\$ 852.73	\$ 982.47	\$ 1,000.00
Repairs and equipment,	738.44	401.85	450.00
Auditorium account,	64.71		
School lunch,	1,440.00	1,400.00	1,480.00
Insurance,	503.09	493.83	515.00
Landscaping,	2,034.37	326.52	300.00
Medical inspection,		100.00	100.00
Elementary totals,	\$26,540.21	\$26,171.85	\$28,441.00
High school tuition,	8,696.73	10,356.09	13,922.00
Grand totals,	\$35,236.94	\$36,527.94	\$42,363.00

I would recommend to all citizens careful study of the final report of the White House Conference on education and its problems of teacher supply, finance, buildings and what the nation expects its schools to accomplish. A strange paradox exists in that while the nation enjoys its highest level of productivity local communities find it increasingly more difficult to support a sound school program from local property taxation. Although school costs are rising almost everywhere, statistics show that a decreasing percentage of the national gross product is devoted to education. This is generally considered one of the basic reasons causing our current problems of teacher supply and finance.

The cooperation of the people of Baldwin, and your interest in your schools, are commendable and deeply appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

CARROLL B. RONCO,

Superintendent.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1954

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 6,411.73
Town appropriation,	17,400.00
Transferred, auditorium account,	151.63
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	6.54
Mt. Etna Grange, auditorium use,	8.00
State subsidy,	4,608.00
	<hr/> \$28,585.90

Expenses

Instruction,	\$12,178.26
Fuel,	1,316.20
Janitor,	2,301.68
Conveyance,	5,501.82
Tuition,	487.50
Utilities,	681.72
	<hr/> \$22,467.18
Unexpended this year,	6,118.72
	<hr/> \$28,585.90

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$259.68
Town appropriation,	650.00
State subsidy,	200.00
	<hr/> \$1,109.68

Expenses

Textbooks,	\$591.81
Supplies,	390.66
	<hr/> \$982.47
Unexpended this year,	127.21
	<hr/> \$1,109.68

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$192.27	
Town appropriation,	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$592.27

Expenses

Repairs,	\$250.73	
Equipment,	151.12	
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	\$401.85	
Unexpended this year,	190.42	
	<hr/>	\$592.27

INSURANCE**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 78.10	
Town appropriation,	475.00	
Everett Riley, dividend refund,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$554.10

Expenses

Fire insurance,	\$483.83	
Liability insurance,	10.00	
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	\$493.83	
Unexpended this year,	60.27	
	<hr/>	\$554.10

SCHOOL LUNCH REPORT**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 244.52	
Town appropriation,	1,480.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,724.52

Expenses

Edna Eldridge, cook,	\$ 600.00	
Doris Sanborn, cook,	450.00	
Norma Thomas, assistant,	140.00	
Alice Wood, assistant,	60.00	
Erma Nelson, assistant,	150.00	
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	\$1,400.00	
Unexpended this year,	324.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,724.52

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 652.80
Town appropriation,	8,950.00
State subsidy,	1,600.00
Treasurer of State, tuition,	160.00
	<hr/> \$11,362.80

Expenses

City of Westbrook,	\$ 119.39
Fryeburg Academy,	1,923.08
Town of Sebago,	6,129.84
Town of Standish,	1,876.48
Town of Gorham,	307.30
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	\$10,356.09
Unexpended this year,	1,006.71
	<hr/> \$11,362.80

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 988.77
Sale of West Baldwin school,	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$1,988.77

Expenses

Joseph Beals, bulldozer,	\$ 104.50
Roland Guptill, tractor and labor,	60.00
Delbert Guptill, labor,	30.00
Douglas Gilpatric, labor,	5.00
Sears, Roebuck, hose, nozzles,	43.11
Cleon Dyer, labor,	3.50
Express,	1.15
Wirthmore Feed, fertilizer,	15.55
Northeast Company, mower,	63.71
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	\$ 326.52
Unexpended this year,	1,662.25
	<hr/> \$1,988.77

MEDICAL INSPECTION**Receipts**

Town appropriation,	\$100.00	
	<hr/>	\$100.00

Expenses

Dr. DiBiaso, examinations,	\$100.00	
	<hr/>	\$100.00

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

The interest which Baldwin has shown in the health of the community is certainly gratifying. Existing organizations have worked to take care of the common health needs and the public health nursing service has been glad to assist in any way possible. The extent to which the functions of the nurse may serve you depends largely upon the community.

Home visits are an essential part of each of the services which comprise a family health program. During the past year, some families have been visited at the request of the family physician with definite recommendations made by him and other families have come to the attention of the nurse through routine visits to infants.

Children with orthopedic or heart defects are visited to acquaint the family with resources available and to help with corrections of such defects.

Again this year it was pleasing to note the number of mothers in Baldwin who apparently felt the child health conference to be of value. During the two conferences held during the summer the attending physician gave physical examinations to 49 infants and pre-school children. Immunization against diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, and smallpox was offered. Child health conferences provide an excellent opportunity for medical health supervision of those children under six years of age who are not seen by a family physician.

The historic advance made in protection against poliomyelitis has been of intense interest to all. In October, 26 children in Baldwin received their second inoculation of the Salk vaccine. At the clinics which have been held, vaccine was offered only to those children in the first and second grades. However, in the coming year all children five years of age through fourteen years will be given the opportunity of receiving this protection.

The well-being of the school child and his education for healthful living must be included in any well rounded program for family and community health. Last February your nurse attended a meeting of the local parent-teacher group and discussed the value of physical examinations in the school. In May that part of the school health program was realized. One grade received physical examinations. The program will be continued in January and it is planned that selected grades will be done. By examining the same grades yearly, each child is assured an examination every three years. Parent participation is greatly to be desired as an excellent opportunity is provided for consultation with the doctor, nurse and teacher. There was nearly 100% parent participation at the examinations in May.

Audiometer tests are planned for the coming year to discover children who have any hearing loss. Let us continue with the established programs and work for an expansion of the service.

I take this opportunity to thank those persons who in any way assisted with the program last year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS, R. N.,

Division of Public Health Nursing.

February 20, 1956.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin, Maine.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your request, we have examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collectors and selectmen of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1955.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collectors and selectmen of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1955, ascertained that all cash received by these officials, with the exception noted in regard to the tax collector, has been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper, and made such other tests as we deemed necessary, without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Under the terms of our audit engagement, it was impossible for us to determine accurately the unpaid taxes and tax liens as at December 31, 1955, due to the condition of the tax collector's books and records.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the balance sheet, with the exception noted above, analysis of unappropriated surplus and related statements as submitted by us, present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin as of December 31, 1955, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE

FRED R. GOULD,

Certified Public Accountant.

TAX REPORT

ABATEMENTS

Mettie Stewart, exempt,	\$17.52	
Horatio Nason, Heirs, error,	4.80	
Millett Whitney, Heirs, error,	7.20	
Robert Sanborn, poll, paid in Fryeburg,	3.00	
Jesse Sanborn, poll, paid in Portland,	3.00	
Ralph Giles, poll, deceased,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$38.52

SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES

Bessie Wentworth,	\$24.00	
Glendon Buzzell,	3.00	
Shirley W. Flint,	75.84	
Arnold Cutting,	19.20	
Clarence Chute,	74.40	
James C. Emery,	3.00	
Charles Howell,	3.00	
Chase Parker,	19.20	
Gordon Cram,	3.00	
John Davis,	3.00	
Edward Field,	3.00	
Elwood Milliken,	3.00	
Herbert Frost, Jr.,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$236.64

UNPAID TAXES—RESIDENT

Clara Anderson,	\$ 5.76
Ralph Anderson,	41.76
Norman Berry,	213.80
Gardiner Black,	55.68
Leslie Nelson,	41.76
Lorraine Barriault,	28.32
George Buzzell,	4.80

Guy Crawford,	3.00
Henry and Roberta Crawford,	17.76
Arthur Dyer,	127.68
Arnold Day,	27.36
Gilbert Douglas,	3.00
Olive Douglas,	34.56
Joseph and Monica Dwyer,	35.82
Everett Emerson,	68.64
Harland Eastman,	5.76
Donald Estes,	30.36
Nelson Estes,	4.80
Lester Frazier,	13.56
Ernest Fontaine,	107.16
George Graffam,	33.12
Stanley Graffam,	16.52
Bernard Graffam,	3.00
Eben Harmon,	3.00
W. S. Hoyt, Heirs,	175.20
Charles Harrington,	29.76
Carl Hawkins,	81.12
Kenneth Harrington,	18.72
Ralph Johnson,	33.12
Albion Mason,	5.76
Elizabeth Mason,	44.16
John W. McNeil, Sr.,	46.40
Alan McGowan,	43.20
Lester Murch,	27.36
Ellsworth Moore,	12.12
Mrs. Genevieve Murch,	4.80
Verne Neil,	3.00
Herman Noble,	3.36
Linwood Noble,	.96
Leslie Nelson,	5.76
Veikko Paponnen,	5.40
Elmer Perkins,	22.66
Norman Pomerleau,	10.56
Edmund Ribas,	81.60

Ruel Robbins,	8.16
Myron Sanborn, Jr.,	4.80
Wilma Sawyer,	29.60
John Smallidge,	5.76
Raymond Thombs,	16.80
Olin Thomas,	17.58
Warren Thurston,	15.84
Glen Verrill,	72.96
Ernest Warren, East,	24.96
Ernest Walker, Jr.,	3.00
Clayton Wentworth,	3.00
Lloyd Wentworth,	66.36
Norman Whitney, Heirs,	8.64
Lottie Wiley,	27.36
Hazen Wiley,	32.16
Clifton Wood, Heirs,	14.40
Charles Yates,	78.24
	<hr/> \$2,011.52

UNPAID TAXES—NON-RESIDENT

Frances Deering,	\$ 42.24
Avard M. Dow,	58.56
John Fullerton,	21.60
John Jewell,	28.80
William Kenney,	9.60
Joseph P. Martin,	14.40
Solomon Stuart, Heirs,	19.20
Edward R. Theriault,	16.80
Leslie Sanborn, Heirs,	4.80
Ralph and Leland Warren,	14.40
Ralph L. and Rose Wilkinson,	38.40
Alma LeGoff,	105.60
	<hr/> \$374.40
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Total unpaid taxes,	\$2,391.68

Frances Q. Brown

West Baldwin

Mrs



Annual Report

of the

Municipal Officers

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TOWN OF

BALDWIN

MAINE

For the Fiscal Year ending

DECEMBER 31, 1956

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TOWN OF BALDWIN

MAINE

For the Fiscal Year Ending

December 31, 1956

TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor

ROSCOE C. SPENCER LEROY F. WOOD
WENDELL B. WIGGIN

Superintending School Committee

ROSCOE C. SPENCER LESTER E. WOOD
J. CARROLL BABB

Superintendent of Schools

CARROLL B. RONCO

Treasurer

JOHN O. SANBORN

Tax Collector

HARRY F. WARD

Excise Tax Collector

HARRY F. WARD

Road Commissioners

JOHN H. CRAWFORD, JR. LESTER E. WOOD
MURRAY MILLIKEN

Town Forest Fire Warden

ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards

RAYMOND WOOD MURRAY MILLIKEN
ALBION MASON

Fence Viewers

NEIL WARREN GUY JONES

Health Officer

DR. ANTHONY DiBIASO

Constable

CARROLL EDWARDS

AUDITOR'S REPORT

March 21, 1956.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin,
Maine.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1955, and submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedules reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the close of the year.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and Commitment

Exhibit "B" Balance Sheet

Exhibit "C" Statement of Appropriations

Exhibit "D" Analysis of General Fund Surplus

Schedule 1 Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

Schedule 2 Statement of Trust Funds

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collector of taxes, and selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1955. We ascertained that all cash shown to have been received by these officials had been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper and made such other tests as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the town of Baldwin at December 31, 1955, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
FRED R. GOULD,
Certified Public Accountant.

EXHIBIT B

BALANCE SHEET

Town of Baldwin

Year Ended December 31, 1955

ASSETS

General Funds:

Current assets:

Cash,	\$16,993.38
Uncollected taxes,	5,490.33
Uncollected tax liens,	1,368.55
Accounts receivable,	4,070.52

Total assets general fund, \$27,922.78

Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable invested in construction, \$17,500.00

Trust Funds Invested:

Hannah Woodman fund,	\$ 1,000.00
Deacons Fountain fund,	666.36

Total trust funds, \$ 1,666.36

Total assets and trust funds, \$47,089.14

LIABILITIES AND RESERVE

Reserves:

School funds (Exhibit C),	\$ 9,490.10
Revaluation (Exhibit C),	1,500.00
Civilian defense (Exhibit C),	200.00
Hurricane (Exhibit C),	322.58

\$10,867.52

Excise taxes, 259.55

\$11,127.07

Surplus (Exhibit D), 16,795.71

Total liabilities, reserves and surplus, \$27,922.78

Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable,	\$17,500.00
Trust funds principal,	\$ 1,666.36
Total liabilities, reserves, surplus and trust funds,	\$47,089.14

EXHIBIT D

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL FUND SURPLUS

Town of Baldwin

For the Year Ended December 31, 1955

Balance, December 31, 1954,	\$17,102.66
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Additions:

Supplemental taxes,	\$ 236.64	
Additional tax liens,	265.05	
Sale of town owned property,	200.00	
Accounts receivable,	903.07	
	<hr/>	1,604.76
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		\$18,707.42

Deductions:

Appropriations overexpended (Exhibit C),	\$1,793.58	
Abatements,	106.88	
Miscellaneous adjustments,	11.25	
	<hr/>	1,911.71

Balance, December 31, 1955,	\$16,795.71
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SUGGESTED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1957

Recommended by the Selectmen

Article 4.	Support of poor,	\$ 4,000.00
Article 5.	Roads and bridges,	4,500.00
Article 6.	Miscellaneous,	2,500.00
Article 7.	Cutting bushes,	500.00
Article 8.	State aid road,	1,066.00
Article 10.	Officers' compensation,	4,000.00
Article 11.	Snow removal,	6,000.00
Article 12.	Memorial Day fund,	75.00
Article 13.	West Baldwin cemetery,	25.00
Article 14.	Street lights,	630.00
Article 15.	Interest on town loans and notes,	700.00
Article 16.	Audit,	300.00
Article 18.	Public health nurse,	100.00
Article 20.	Fire companies,	1,800.00
Article 21.	Workmen's compensation,	200.00
Article 22.	East Baldwin Library,	200.00
Article 25.	Sodium fluoride,	100.00
Article 26.	School loan note,	5,000.00
Article 27.	Support of schools,	19,700.00
Article 28.	High school tuition,	14,600.00
Article 30.	Repairs and equipment,	600.00
Article 31.	School lunch program,	1,440.00
Article 32.	School insurance,	600.00
Article 33.	Physical examination-medical inspection,	100.00
Article 38.	Social security,	500.00

TOWN WARRANT

To Carroll Edwards, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Consolidated School, Baldwin, in said town, on the 4th day of March, 1957, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, auto excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the report of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, and treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on the town roads.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State-Aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. of 1944 as amended.

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of employing a certified public accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of the 1957 taxes.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 19. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, of the R. S. of 1954.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the fire companies.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the library at East Baldwin.

Art. 23. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 24. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent tax payers by the town.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eighty dollars (\$80.00) for a sodium fluoride clinic for treating the school children's teeth, grade 1 through 8, at the Baldwin Consolidated School.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the annual payment on the school loan.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for high school tuition.

Art. 29. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school books and supplies.

Art. 30. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for a school lunch program.

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school insurance.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for physical examinations for the school children.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to increase the fund for re-valuing the town.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to prevent the spread of the Dutch Elm disease.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00, more or less, to improve the road leading from Route 107 to the Percy Robbins residence.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal for the northern end of the town and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Social Security.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar a portion of the road leading from Route 113 near Half-Moon Pond to the stone house formerly known as the George Kennard place.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 7th day of February, 1957.

ROSCOE C. SPENCER,

LEROY F. WOOD,

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1956.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSCOE C. SPENCER,

LEROY F. WOOD,

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1956 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL, 1956

Real estate, resident,	\$173,590.00
Personal estate, resident,	46,795.00
Real estate, non-resident,	462,620.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	6,130.00
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Total valuation,	\$689,135.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$65,081.00
County tax,	1,661.10
Overlay,	794.41
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Committed to collector, including polls,	\$68,115.51
Excise tax collected,	4,286.08
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Total,	\$72,401.59
Number of polls taxed, 193, \$579.00.	
Number of polls not taxed, 52.	
Rate of taxation, .098.	

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

	No.	Average Value	Total
Horses,	18	\$60.00	\$1,080.00
Oxen, bulls, and beef cattle,	27	40.00	1,080.00
Milch cows,	126	50.00	6,300.00
Heifers over 2 years, not freshened,	8	30.00	240.00
Heifers, 18 months to 2 years,	27	20.00	540.00
Domestic fowl,			5,515.00
			<hr/> \$14,755.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

79 cattle, 18 months and younger,	\$790.00
9 sheep,	90.00
5 goats,	50.00
30 swine,	300.00
824 domestic fowl,	412.00
	<hr/> \$1,642.00

OTHER ASSESSED VALUES

Stock in trade,	\$ 6,075.00
Logs,	1,800.00
Lumber,	15,375.00
Radios,	1,480.00
Gasoline pumps,	940.00
Musical instruments,	2,950.00
Televisions,	6,950.00
Tractors,	400.00
Trailers,	2,200.00
Railroad property,	750.00
Light and Power Co.,	363,660.00
Sawmills,	4,550.00
Woodworking mill,	20,500.00
Wood flour mill,	7,100.00
	<hr/> \$434,730.00

ABATEMENTS

Arnold Cutting, overtaxed,	\$24.50
Walter Dearborn, overtaxed,	5.88
Adelaide Rowe, overtaxed,	5.88

Eugene Sawyer, overtaxed,	4.90	
William and Derilda Lessard, overtaxed,	24.50	
Warren Martin, over 70,	3.00	
Edwin and Hannah Sawyer, overtaxed,	.02	
Herman Sanborn, error,	3.00	
Charles L. Emery, paid in Gorham,	3.00	
		<hr/> \$74.68

SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES

Alma Messer,	\$ 36.75	
John Patrick, Jr.,	414.00	
Paul Martin,	14.70	
H. Andrews,	3.00	
L. Compagna,	3.00	
Alfred Crawford,	3.00	
J. C. Emery,	3.00	
Herbert Frost,	3.00	
Edward Field,	3.00	
R. Johnson, Jr.,	3.00	
E. R. Milliken,	3.00	
R. Labbee,	3.00	
G. L. Moore,	3.00	
J. Patrick,	3.00	
C. Rodway,	3.00	
J. Smallidge,	3.00	
William Walker,	3.00	
Harold Warren,	3.00	
		<hr/> \$510.45

UNPAID POLL TAXES

LeBretton, Edward,	\$3.00	
Crawford, Henry,	3.00	
Day, Arnold,	3.00	
Dolloff, George,	3.00	
Frazier, Lester,	3.00	
Graffam, Bernard,	3.00	
Harrington, Charles,	3.00	
Isaacs, Irving,	3.00	
Isaacs, Robert,	3.00	

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Isaacs, Sanford,	3.00
McNeil, Edward,	3.00
Mayberry, Arnold,	3.00
Moore, Ellsworth,	3.00
Murch, Raymond,	3.00
Noble, Linwood,	3.00
Perkins, Everett,	3.00
Robbins, Ruel,	3.00
Sanborn, Dennis,	3.00
Thorne, Richard,	3.00
Walker, Ernest, Jr.,	3.00
Wentworth, Lloyd,	3.00
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	\$63.00

UNPAID TAXES—RESIDENT

Berry, Norman J.,	\$ 66.16
Black, Gardiner,	56.84
Carver, Wallace,	3.44
Cram, Ralph,	75.46
Cressey, Leon,	4.90
Crawford, Henry and Roberta,	46.06
Dyer, Arthur,	136.22
Day, Arnold,	27.94
Dolloff, George,	4.90
Estes, Donald,	32.84
Estes, Nelson,	4.90
Gaddy, Millard,	49.98
Hurst, John,	10.78
Guptill, William O.,	13.24
Hoyt, W. S., heirs of,	178.86
Harrington, Charles,	30.38
Hawkins, Carl,	82.82
Harrington, Kenneth,	19.12
Johnson, Ralph,	18.82
Mason, Albion,	5.88
Mason, Elizabeth,	45.08
McNeil, John, Sr.,	123.48
Murch, Leon and Carlton,	34.80
Murch, Lester,	24.02
Mayberry, Arnold,	.98

Moore, J. M. and Sophronia Frank Spencer,	14.70	<i>Paid</i>
Murch, Raymond,	38.72	
Murch, Mrs. Genevieve,	5.88	
Nelson, Leslie,	10.78	
Noble, Phoebe,	3.44	
Noble, Linwood,	.98	
Perkins, Elmer,	23.04	
Parker, William,	39.20	
Pomerleau, Norman,	9.80	
Ribas, Edmund,	83.30	
Robbins, Ruel,	9.32	
Rounds, Edwin II,	10.78	
Rounds, Leander, heirs, Edwin II,	14.70	
Sanborn, Dennis,	85.76	
Sanborn, Phyllis,	33.50	
Sanborn, Myron L., Jr.,	4.90	
Thombs, Raymond,	17.16	
Thorne, Richard,	4.90	
Verill, Hannah, heirs,	34.30	
Verill, Glen,	85.26	
Warren, Ernest, East B.,	23.48	
Wentworth, Lloyd,	64.68	
Whitney, Norman, heirs,	9.80	
Wiley, Lottie,	8.92	
Wood, Clifton, heirs,	14.70	
Harding, Charles, heirs,	75.82	
Moore, Ellsworth,	5.88	
	—————	\$1,828.60

UNPAID TAXES—NON-RESIDENT

Bertalam, George,	\$ 7.35	
Boyson, Robert,	2.45	
Fullerton, John,	7.35	
Hardy, Daniel B. and Jeanette,	25.48	<i>Paid</i>
Hardy, Daniel B.,	26.95	<i>Paid</i>
Jewell, John,	29.40	
Kenny, William,	9.80	
LeGoff, Alma,	108.80	

Schoen, Charles,	4.90	
Theriault, Edward, heirs,	17.15	
Wilkinson, Ralph and Rose,	39.20	
	<hr/>	\$277.83

SUMMARY OF TOTAL ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town,	\$4,500.00	
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Expended by Mr. Wood,	\$1,365.39	
Expended by Mr. Crawford,	1,528.02	
Expended by Mr. Milliken,	1,348.09	
	<hr/>	\$4,241.50
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Unexpended balance, Decem- ber 31, 1956,		\$ 258.50

EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Lester Wood, commissioner,	\$ 56.72
Lawrence Fitch, shovels and rock pickers,	14.10
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	127.50
Richard Buzzell, labor,	23.08
Herbert Buzzell, labor,	6.00
Arthur Powers, labor,	14.93
John Crawford, labor,	61.43
Jesse Decker, labor,	52.17
Everett Davis, labor,	36.73
Everett Davis, truck,	69.20
Arthur Powers, truck,	28.75
Charles Irish, labor,	4.64
Harold Duren, labor,	14.41
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	12.87
Ellsworth Perkins, labor,	4.64
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	225.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, loader,	66.75
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	298.70

Lucian Lord, labor,	14.42
F. E. Wood & Sons, gravel,	8.00
Murray Milliken, labor,	8.23
John Cole, labor,	7.20
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	11.73
Roger Riley, truck,	18.40
Edward Roberts, truck,	16.10
Willis Harmon, shovel,	29.96
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer and operator,	105.00
Town of Standish, screen,	6.00
Blue Rock Quarry,	22.73
	<hr/> \$1,365.39

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$229.58
Clarence Dearborn, labor,	21.58
Murray Milliken, truck,	7.50
John O. Sanborn 3rd, truck,	2.25
John O. Sanborn 3rd, labor,	17.00
Fred McKenney, labor,	42.16
Eugene Sawyer, labor,	27.55
Saco Valley Garage, repairs,	40.43
Percy Estes, labor,	10.29
William Sturgeon, bulldozer,	40.00
Guy Ridlon, labor,	9.80
Merle Moore, labor,	58.46
Carroll Edwards, labor,	28.81
William Sturgeon, loader,	20.00
William Sturgeon, truck,	85.80
Everett Davis, labor,	12.35
Everett Davis, truck,	27.60
Roger Riley, labor,	12.35
Roger Riley, truck,	27.60
Norman Watson, truck,	39.60
Joseph Beal, bulldozer,	154.00
Robert Norton, gravel,	40.00
W. H. Shurtleff Co., calcium chloride,	45.00
P. R. Boston, tar,	220.00

M. S. Burnell,	74.25
John Crawford, labor,	15.92
David Estes, labor,	14.41
Cornish Hardware, tools,	9.10
Edwin Murch, labor,	7.20
Blue Rock Quarry, tar patch,	7.50
	—————\$1,348.09

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

John Crawford, commissioner,	\$264.83
Jesse Decker, labor,	196.05
Everett Davis, labor,	156.99
Everett Davis, truck,	244.27
Alfred Crawford, labor,	74.98
Henry Crawford, labor,	48.96
Lawrence Fitch, supplies,	13.43
Hardy's Garage, welding,	6.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	20.86
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	15.57
Herbert Brown, gravel,	6.30
Town of Sebago, sand,	5.10
Harold Duren, labor,	23.91
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	54.00
Frank York, labor,	4.12
Wirthmore Feed Co., tools,	10.50
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	240.90
Franklin Walker, labor,	12.35
Edwin Crawford, labor,	35.54
H. M. Blake, lumber,	38.40
Murray Milliken, labor,	20.82
Triangle Filling Station,	3.60
H. F. Partridge, gas,	9.34
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	20.00
Norman Berry, gravel,	1.20
	—————\$1,528.02

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,066.00
Received from the State,	2,061.60
	—————\$3,127.60

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$160.51
John Lord, Jr., labor,	9.30
Fred Anderson, labor,	9.30
Franklin Walker, labor,	4.64
Jesse Decker, labor,	101.36
Lawrence Nason, labor,	2.58
Oren Crawford, labor,	2.58
Richard Buzzell, labor,	4.64
Oliver Irish, labor,	9.30
Everett Davis, labor,	81.81
Arthur Powers, labor,	57.11
George Anderson, loader operator,	7.20
George Anderson, truck,	14.95
John Crawford, labor,	119.37
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	91.58
Edwin Crawford, labor,	24.70
Roger Riley, labor,	31.89
David Estes, labor,	71.00
Murray Milliken, bulldozer operator,	80.85
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	92.17
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	10.35
Everett Davis, truck,	155.25
Arthur Powers, truck,	127.65
Anderson & Irish, loader,	11.25
Joseph N. Beal, bulldozer operator,	44.10
Koppers Co., tar,	437.68
Joseph N. Beal, bulldozer,	285.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	235.40
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	220.00
Willis Harmon, truck,	124.80
Roger Riley, truck,	71.30
Bancroft & Martin, culverts,	98.56
Murray Milliken, labor,	14.41
Norman Berry, gravel,	255.90
Eugene Usher, labor,	2.10
Alfred Robinson, labor,	2.10
Charles Hill, labor,	2.10
Wirthmore Feed Co., supplies,	9.82
Town of Sebago, sand,	6.40
	<hr/> \$3,091.01
Unexpended balance, Decem-	
ber 31, 1956,	\$ 36.59

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00	
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John Crawford, commissioner,	\$ 84.52	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	14.41	
Everett Davis, labor,	32.92	
Jesse Decker, labor,	54.42	
Lester Wood, commissioner,	7.35	
George Dolloff, labor,	16.46	
George Dolloff, Jr., labor,	16.46	
Guy Jones, tractor,	156.95	
George Dolloff, power saw,	14.40	
Norman McKenney, labor,	13.47	
		<hr/> \$411.46
Unexpended balance, Decem-		
ber 31, 1956,		\$ 88.54

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Apportioned by the State,	\$4,462.77	
Town's share,	50.98	
		<hr/> \$4,513.75
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	\$ 164.82	
Jesse Decker, labor,	93.64	
Everett Davis, labor,	101.36	
Everett Davis, truck,	219.55	
Harry McKenney,	233.12	
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	306.00	
Robert Norton, gravel,	46.00	
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	438.25	
Edwin Crawford, labor,	109.60	
Murray Milliken, labor,	82.32	
Lucian Lord, labor,	78.21	
Carroll Edwards, labor,	67.91	
Arthur Powers, labor,	103.42	
Arthur Powers, truck,	221.95	
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	4.12	
John O. Sanborn 3rd, truck,	161.00	
John W. Cole, labor,	20.07	

Roger Riley, truck,	184.00
Lewis Lumber Co., gravel,	337.60
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	174.80
Edward Roberts, truck,	44.85
Harry Roberts, shovel operator,	156.69
Harry Roberts, bulldozer operator,	4.41
John O. Sanborn 3rd, bulldozer operator,	97.75
Willis Harmon, shovel,	400.18
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	294.00
Burnham Brothers, grader,	146.76
Giguere Construction Co., blasting,	221.37
	<hr/> \$4,513.75

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriated by the town,	\$6,600.00
Received from the State,	1,946.10
Refund, freight bill on salt,	80.60
	<hr/> \$8,026.70
Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$ 550.45
Murray Milliken, truck,	328.00
Llewellyn Verrill, labor,	72.00
Treasurer, State of Maine, plowing	
113,	434.00
Joseph Stokes, labor,	5.00
Ralph Crawford, labor,	247.24
Guy Ridlon, labor,	136.09
Guy Ridlon, tractor,	144.70
W. L. Blake & Co., repairs,	18.39
Malcolm Burnell, gas and repairs,	349.24
Irish Filling Station, gas,	1.50
Lester Wood, commissioner,	345.32
Richard Buzzell, labor,	144.82
Albert Locke, truck,	3.00
Lester Wood, Jr., labor,	88.01
Arthur Powers, labor,	94.61
Harold Jordon, labor,	1.00
Arthur Powers, truck,	335.31
Truck Equipment Co., repairs,	326.14
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	1,784.24
Henry Crawford, labor,	30.00

Charles Irish, labor,	50.48
Marlo Murch, labor,	5.00
Joseph Beal, transportation tractor,	30.00
John Crawford, Jr., commissioner,	750.96
Edwin Crawford, labor,	160.82
Philip Babb, labor,	6.69
Jesse Decker, labor,	246.54
George Anderson, shovel,	42.50
George Anderson, operator,	17.49
Frank York, labor,	42.50
George Dolloff, labor,	4.50
Everett Davis, labor	260.81
Everett Davis, truck,	528.59
Raymond Thombs, labor,	387.90
State Highway Commission, snow removal,	6.20
Alfred Crawford, labor,	84.01
Town of Standish, screen,	3.25
Norman Pomerleau, labor,	61.00
Franklin Walker, labor,	20.75
Albion Mason, labor,	1.03
Hardy's Garage, repairs,	816.99
Wendell B. Wiggin, labor,	3.04
Raymond Ayer, sand,	49.60
Triangle Garage, gas and repairs,	1,009.81
W. B. Richardson, repairs,	9.20
Norman McKenney, truck,	9.00
Herbert Brown heirs, gravel,	6.00
Norman McKenney, labor,	4.00
Arthur Hoyt, labor,	7.00
H. F. Partridge, gas, etc.,	227.95
Bailey Auto. Supplies, parts,	12.25
William Sturgeon, shovel, truck and loader,	444.69
Sears, Roebuck & Co., parts,	100.09
Alan Dolloff, labor,	78.00
Leroy Wood, labor,	108.03
Rowe Motors Inc., repairs,	79.79

Glendon Buzzell, labor,	16.00
Merle Moore, labor,	40.19
Merle Harmon, labor,	11.50
Kimball's Supply Co., repairs,	5.62
Leonard Locke, labor,	237.24
Lester Frazier, labor,	2.00
Gordon Milliken, labor,	69.15
Elwin Day, labor,	8.00
Saco Valley Garage, repairs,	131.20
E. R. & P. R. Walker, parts,	7.61
West Shore Garage, repairs,	2.98
Russell Hoyt, labor,	3.50
Arnold Day, labor,	9.50
G. W. Jewett & Son Inc., snow re- moval,	19.61
Chase Parker, labor,	13.50
Portland Tractor Co., parts,	27.66
Portland Transmission Exchange, parts,	77.70
John O. Sanborn 3rd, labor,	42.58
John O. Sanborn 3rd, truck,	96.52
Raymond Murch, Jr., labor,	8.00
Paul Eldridge, labor,	18.11
Harold Duren, labor,	8.00
Raymond Morton, labor,	13.00
Joseph Morton, labor,	8.00
Ellsworth Perkins, labor,	14.27
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	12.00
Files & O'Keefe, parts,	46.04
W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt,	896.00
Stulz Electric Co.,	17.06
Harold Estes, repairs,	8.00
Milton Henry, repairs,	30.90
Bickford's Tydol, gas,	7.70
LaCase Garage, parts,	159.20
	<hr/> \$13,183.86
Overdraft, December 31, 1956,	<hr/> \$ 5,157.16

USHER'S HILL ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$ 19.60	
Bancroft & Martin, culvert,	65.07	
Joseph Beal, bulldozer,	176.00	
Merle Moore, labor,	16.46	
William Sturgeon, labor,	80.00	
William Sturgeon, loader,	80.00	
William Sturgeon, trucks,	52.80	
Roger Riley, labor,	8.23	
Roger Riley, truck,	18.40	
Everett Davis, truck,	18.40	
Everett Davis, labor,	8.23	
Norman Watson, truck,	26.40	
	<hr/>	\$569.59
Overdraft, December 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$ 69.59

CARL BURNELL ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
John Crawford, Jr., commissioner,	\$ 41.65	
Jesse Decker, labor,	35.03	
Everett Davis, labor,	32.93	
Everett Davis, truck,	73.60	
Arthur Powers, labor,	23.67	
Arthur Powers, truck,	52.90	
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	18.40	
F. E. Wood & Sons, shovel,	115.00	
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	70.00	
Harold Duren, labor,	8.40	
Town of Sebago, gravel,	18.80	
Norman Berry, gravel,	5.20	
	<hr/>	\$495.58
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$ 4.42

GENERAL RELIEF

Appropriated by the town,	\$2,500.00
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Received from:	
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Case No. 5,	620.00
Case No. 12,	10.00
State on case No. 9,	883.75
Case No. 10,	54.62
State on Harry Walker,	19.00

Due from:	
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State on Harry Walker,	51.05
State on case No. 9,	95.11
Standish on case No. 1,	248.78
Brownfield on case No. 2,	415.75
Brownfield on case No. 7,	348.29
Hiram on case No. 8,	24.89
State on case No. 14,	11.00

	\$5,282.24
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Ellsworth Moore, fuel, doctor, gro-	
ceries and clothing,	\$ 817.49

Case No. 1, doctor, groceries and	
clothing,	248.78

Case No. 2, doctor,	415.75
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Case No. 3, doctor and care,	734.15
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Case No. 4, doctor and fuel,	516.25
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Harry Dyer, groceries,	72.00
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Case No. 5, board, doctor and medi-	
cine,	1,234.36

William Walker, groceries, doctor,	
clothing and hospital,	619.96

Helen Walker, groceries and doctor,	234.17
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Case No. 6, groceries,	165.11
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Case No. 7, groceries and clothing,	348.29
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Case No. 8, clothing and doctor,	24.89
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Charles Yates, groceries,	447.19
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Case No. 9, groceries, doctor and	
clothing,	978.26

Minnie Judkins, groceries, doctor	
and fuel,	428.46

Chutes' Express, express charges on	
State food,	28.86

Congdon Transportation, express charges on food,	2.95
A. D. C. cases, town's share,	594.36
Clarence Harmon, groceries and clothing,	195.31
Maxine Woodley, groceries,	45.45
Edith Dyer, medicine, doctor, and hospital,	90.25
Case No. 10, supplies,	54.62
Case No. 11, groceries and clothing,	145.78
Everett Perkins, board,	110.78
Harry Walker, groceries,	70.05
Case No. 12, doctor,	80.00
Case No. 13, supplies,	20.00
Case No. 14, board,	11.00
	<hr/> \$8,734.52

Overdraft, December 31, 1956, \$3,452.28

Total bill due Baldwin from Brownfield, December 31, 1956, is \$2,723.36. The selectmen have put this bill in the hands of an attorney for collection.

MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriated by the town,	\$1800.00
Received from Brown Cemetery Fund,	25.00
Received from State, bear bounty,	15.00
Received from State, license Dancemore,	2.00
Received from State, R. R. & tel. tax,	70.27
Dog tax refund,	27.50
Bank stock tax,	13.93
Hunting license fees,	55.00
	<hr/> \$2,008.70

Wendell B. Wiggin, mileage, telephone, postage, etc.,	\$179.73
Cleon Dyer, janitor primary election,	4.90
N. E. Tel. and Tel., phone,	78.05
Ernest Bliss, care of cemetery,	50.00
Central Maine Power Co., traffic light,	36.00
Central Maine Power Co., plow shed,	48.00

John O. Sanborn, mileage and stamps,	86.29
Myra B. Andrews, treasurer's supplies,	20.63
Marks Printing House, selectmen's supplies,	51.55
Marks Printing House, treasurer's supplies	5.45
Roscoe C. Spencer, mileage, telephone, post- age, etc.,	165.39
Cornish Library Association, supt. of schools office rent,	42.00
Myron T. Locke, insurance, North Baldwin plowshed,	36.85
Myron T. Locke, insurance, town trucks,	111.16
Myron T. Locke, insurance, tractor house,	28.37
Elmer Runyon, legal advice,	15.00
Leroy Wood, telephone, mileage, etc.,	79.80
Marks Printing House, tax collector's supplies,	4.00
Bradford C. Dow, typing,	41.00
Chester V. Small, town printing,	366.75
Maine Municipal Association, yearly dues,	35.00
Roxa B. Palmer, real estate transfers,	12.80
Harry F. Ward, collector's supplies,	14.00
L. W. Somers Co., officers' bond,	92.50
Auto Guide,	12.00
Discount Martin, selectmen's supplies,	7.60
Ida F. Ward, clerk, recording and expenses,	17.15
Loring, Short & Harmon, selectmen's supplies,	31.00
Hay's Drug Store, clinic serum,	45.50
Treasurer, State of Maine, social security,	583.41
Corliss & Lane, legal advice,	17.00
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozing town dump,	90.00
Cardinal Printing Co., selectmen's supplies,	34.50
Saco Valley Garage, repairs on West Baldwin truck,	121.75
Robert L. Cram, recording liens,	31.00
Triangle Garage, repairs, road machine,	18.38
Bancroft & Martin, culvert, W. Guptill's driveway,	82.51
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	\$2,697.02
Overdraft, December 31, 1956,	\$688.32

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$3,500.00
John O. Sanborn, treasurer,	\$329.81
Roscoe C. Spencer, moderator,	10.00
Wendell B. Wiggin, selectman,	778.36
Carroll B. Ronco, superintendent,	941.04
Roscoe C. Spencer, selectman,	579.74
Ruth Wood, ballot clerk,	32.00
Leroy F. Wood, selectman,	362.01
Alice Wood, ballot clerk,	16.00
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	182.77
Harry F. Ward, excise tax collector,	98.00
Harry F. Ward, tax collector,	579.18
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	32.00
Roscoe C. Spencer, school board,	49.00
Lester Wood, school board,	49.00
J. Carroll Babb, school board,	49.00
Dr. A. DiBiaso, health officer,	25.00
Eva Spencer, ballot clerk,	24.00
	<hr/> \$4,136.91
Overdraft, December 31, 1956,	\$636.91

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00

HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid State health and welfare dept.,	\$100.00

SCHOOL LOAN NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$5,000.00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Ellie K. Hawes, county treasurer,	\$1,661.10
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PHYSICAL EXAMINATION ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid Dr. DiBiaso, for examining school children,	100.00

SODIUM FLUORIDE

Appropriated by the town,	\$80.00
Paid State dept. of health and welfare,	\$80.00

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,800.00
Paid East Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$600.00
Paid North Baldwin Fire Co.,	600.00
Paid West Baldwin Fire Co.,	600.00
	<hr/> \$1,800.00

ANTICIPATION OF TAX NOTES

Borrowed in anticipation of taxes,	\$30,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$30,000.00

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Balance, January 1, 1956,	\$200.00
Balance, December 1, 1956,	\$200.00

DUTCH ELM DISEASE

Appropriated by the town,	\$200.00
Balance, December 31, 1956,	\$200.00

REVALUATION FUND

Balance, January 1, 1956,	\$1,500.00
Appropriated by the town,	500.00
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Balance, December 31, 1956,	\$2,000.00

HURRICANE EDNA WASHOUT

Town appropriated, March, 1955,	\$2,500.00
Received final check from Federal gov.,	1,894.57
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Net cost of hurricane to town,	\$605.43

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Balance, January 1, 1956,	\$351.83	
Myron T. Locke, refund,	52.90	
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		\$404.73
Paid Myron T. Locke,		190.60
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Balance, December 31, 1956,		\$214.13

INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Appropriated by the town,	\$900.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	170.17	
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		\$1,070.17
Paid interest on all town notes,		715.05
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Balance, December 31, 1956,		\$355.12

AUDIT

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00
Paid Graffam's Accounting Service,	\$300.00

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by the town,	\$630.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.,	\$630.00

MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00
Paid Williams-Goodwin Post,	\$75.00

TARRING DUGHILL BROOK ROAD, ART. 40

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,300.00
Paid P. R. Boston Co.,	\$1,300.00

EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$200.00
Paid E. Baldwin Library Association,	\$200.00

GENERAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT**Resources**

Appropriated by the town,	\$18,300.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	6,118.72	
State subsidy,	4,639.00	
Auditorium rent,	14.00	
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	2.67	
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		\$29,074.39

Expenses

Teaching,	\$12,715.27
Fuel,	1,543.19
Janitor,	2,337.34
Conveyance,	5,542.57
Elementary tuition,	377.21
Utilities,	674.04
	<hr/> \$23,189.62

Unexpended balance, December 31,
1956, \$5,884.77

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Flora Carpenter,	\$ 657.68
Gladys Cartret,	1,964.00
Eleanor Clinch,	1,337.93
Muriel Hoyt,	1,905.80
Maxine Pierce,	1,576.90
Ida Ward,	1,996.30
Alice Boothby,	30.00
Mae Stanley,	195.00
Bernice Huber,	50.00
Dorothy Merrifield,	10.00
Nellie Black,	590.00
Rinehart Handwriting System,	300.00
Teachers' retirement fund,	541.70
Teachers' insurance,	302.76
Withholding tax,	1,257.20
	<hr/> \$12,715.27

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

City of Portland,	\$ 20.33
Town of Sebago,	356.88
	<hr/> \$377.21

FUEL

George W. Jewett & Son, Inc.,	\$1,543.19
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JANITOR

Cleon Dyer, janitor,	\$1,816.22
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	11.00
Roland Guptill,	29.50

Edward Twombly,	5.90	
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	27.61	
Cleon Dyer, social security,	21.60	
Sani-Clean Distributors,	127.50	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	52.50	
J. I. Holcomb Co.,	239.94	
Triangle Filling Station,	5.57	
	<hr/>	\$2,337.34

SCHOOL CONVEYANCE

Anita Eldridge,	\$1,648.78	
Ada Mckenney,	1,699.28	
Arthur Richards,	185.00	
Thelma Warren,	1,881.80	
Myron Locke, insurance,	127.71	
	<hr/>	\$5,542.57

UTILITIES

Carroll B. Ronco,	\$ 43.26	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	74.55	
Norton Hardware,	74.75	
Central Maine Power Co.,	476.98	
Treasurer, State of Maine,	4.50	
	<hr/>	\$674.04

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by the town,	\$400.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	190.42	
Received from Parent-Teacher Club,	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$640.42
Discount Martin,	\$ 32.50	
Cleon Dyer, social security,	2.53	
Cleon Dyer,	124.72	
Cornish & Kezar Falls Light & Power Co.,	10.73	
L. C. Andrew,	17.55	
Cornish Hardware,	21.08	
Flora Carpenter,	5.35	
Saco Valley Garage,	10.00	
L. W. Fitch,	11.06	

Herbert G. Parker,	31.95	
Clements Music Shop,	13.50	
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	3.89	
Sears, Roebuck Co.,	25.80	
American Playground,	79.39	
E. Corey Co.,	74.12	
Harry Dyer,	4.73	
William Gupfill,	6.68	
Roland Gupfill,	10.43	
Chute's Express,	3.84	
Warren Martin,	10.60	
Cascade Paper Co.,	28.55	
Philip R. Snow,	36.00	
G. W. Jewett & Son,	66.90	
	<hr/>	631.90
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$8.52

SCHOOL INSURANCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$475.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	60.27	
Refund, Myron Locke,	15.66	
	<hr/>	\$550.93
Paid Myron T. Locke,	\$ 8.50	
Paid Myron T. Locke,	453.10	
	<hr/>	\$461.60
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$89.33

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriated by the town,	\$650.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	127.21	
State subsidy,	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,077.21
School Service Co.,	\$ 1.28	
Scott, Foresman Co.,	203.05	
National Educational Association,	1.83	
Silver Burdett Co.,	7.58	
Carroll B. Ronco,	12.11	

Iroquois Publishing Co.,	10.27	
Ginn & Co.,	141.65	
Charles E. Merrill,	4.34	
Cascade Paper Co.,	68.57	
Scholastic Magazines,	26.45	
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	2.80	
Benton Review,	46.03	
World Book Co.,	52.38	
Gledhill Bros.,	3.36	
Continental Press,	11.33	
MacMillan Co.,	2.49	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	3.47	
Shepherd's,	24.21	
J. Weston Walch,	2.12	
Chester V. Small,	13.20	
J. L. Hammett,	142.13	
Follette Publishing Co.,	9.82	
Allyn & Bacon,	26.70	
American Education,	14.60	
Webster Publishing Co.,	87.52	
Lyons & Carnahan,	10.24	
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	5.89	
Dingley Realty Co.,	2.66	
Treasurer, State of Maine,	5.00	
DeLano Service Co.,	1.14	
Remington Rand,	3.00	
Arlo Publishing Co.,	13.56	
Doubleday & Co.,	18.50	
Laidlaw Bros.,	5.15	
	<hr/>	\$984.43

Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1956, \$92.78

SCHOOL LUNCH

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,480.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	324.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.52
Doris Sanborn, cook,	\$869.92	
Norma Thomas, assistant cook,	129.20	

Irma Nelson, assistant cook,	158.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue,	197.70	
Alice Wood, assistant cook,	68.60	
Social security,	16.58	
	<hr/>	\$1,440.00
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$364.52

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriated by the town,	\$11,700.00	
Balance, January 1, 1956,	1,006.71	
State subsidy,	1,600.00	
Treasurer of the State, tuition,	182.40	
	<hr/>	\$14,489.11
Town of Gorham,	\$ 568.50	
Fryeburg Academy,	2,859.12	
Town of Standish,	1,688.56	
Town of Sebago,	8,859.44	
	<hr/>	\$13,975.62
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$513.49

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT

Balance, January 1, 1956,		\$1,662.25
Triangle Filling Station,	\$ 1.79	
L. C. Andrew,	98.49	
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	28.54	
Cornish Hardware,	19.33	
Cleon Dyer,	67.99	
William Guptill,	3.00	
Blue Rock Quarry,	28.50	
Manual Stacey,	447.75	
Cleon Dyer, social security,	1.46	
	<hr/>	\$696.85
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1956,		<hr/> \$965.40

REPORT OF FIRE COMPANIES

WEST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC.

6th February, 1957.

Annual Report of the Company, from January 1, 1956
to December 31, 1956

Receipts

Balance on hand as last reported,	\$432.48
Membership dues,	62.00
Sale of junk,	75.00
Activities during the year,	158.45
From Town of Baldwin,	600.00
Private donations from other sources,	87.07
	—————\$1,415.00

Expenditures

Fuel,	\$110.24
Telephone,	67.20
Lights,	63.88
New equipment: Consisting of 250 gal. front end pump, 200 ft. 1½ in. hose and suction hose,	500.86
Insurance on house, truck and men,	155.43
Repairs on equipment,	3.33
Miscellaneous,	39.27
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1957,	474.79
	—————\$1,415.00

We have attended 11 fires during the past year,
under the following categories:

Out of town,	One
Forest,	One
Automobile,	One
Chimney,	Eight

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. ANDREWS,
Clerk.

**NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY,
INC.**

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR JANUARY 1, 1957

Cash on hand, January 1, 1956,	\$479.20
Dues received, 1956,	31.63
Appropriated by town for 1956,	600.00
Contributions by members, 1956,	15.93
Activities for 1956,	104.96
	—————\$1,231.72

Disbursements

Fuel and lights,	\$130.15
Insurance on truck, men and buildings,	121.72
New equipment for buildings, truck and maintenance,	611.41
General expenses,	41.77
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Total expenses,	\$905.05
Unexpended balance,	326.67
	—————\$1,231.72

Respectfully submitted,

EDSON H. STACY,
Treasurer.

**EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY,
INC.**

On hand, February 13, 1956,	\$184.95
Dues and donations,	48.30
Donation from the town,	600.00
Activities,	152.68
	————— \$985.93

Total spent:

Fuel and lights,	\$154.49
Insurance,	121.72
Fire equipment,	281.20
Miscellaneous,	20.15
On hand, January 21, 1957,	388.37
	————— \$985.93

Respectfully submitted,

LEROY F. WOOD,
Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State, \$140.55

VITAL STATISTICS

Number of births recorded, 13

Number of marriages recorded, 12

DEATHS

Jan. 21, in Casco, Julia E. Hoyt.

Feb. 12, in Augusta, Almon F. Leach.

Mar. 15, in Cornish, Albert H. Burnell.

Mar. 28, in Baldwin, Hannah W. Verrill.

Mar. 29, in Portland, Asbry Bowie.

Apr. 3, in Bridgton, Bertha A. Murch.

Aug. 22, in Wolfeboro, N. H., Nellie Moore.

Sept. 8, in Yarmouth, Alice Rogers.

Dec. 19, in Kennebunk, Herbert A. Murch.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND
DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin, Maine

Year Ending December 31, 1956

Taxes:

Current year,	\$59,677.91	
Prior years,	2,623.67	
Excise taxes,	4,286.08	
Tax liens paid,	957.18	
	<hr/>	\$ 67,544.84

State grants:

Highways,	\$10,581.67	
Hurricane damage,	1,894.57	
Health and welfare,	827.17	
Bank stock tax,	13.93	
Dog tax refund,	19.68	
Dance hall license,	2.00	
Railroad tax,	70.27	
Education subsidy,	6,539.00	
Tuition, Caroline Muldune,	182.40	
Bear bounty,	15.00	
	<hr/>	20,145.69

Other receipts:

Temporary loans,	\$30,000.00
Mary Gupthill refund,	620.00
Mabel McKewen refund,	54.62
Baldwin Parent Teachers Club,	50.00
MARR freight bill refund,	80.60
Ida F. Ward refund,	82.50
Nancy Thombs refund,	10.00
Myron T. Locke Agency refund,	68.56
R. C. Spencer, Wiggin refund,	190.00

Interest cemetery bond,	25.00	
Several small items,	16.67	
Cash at beginning of year,	16,993.38	
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		\$135,881.86
Checks drawn,	\$125,705.73	
Bank balance,	10,064.91	
Cash on hand,	111.22	
	<hr/>	\$135,881.86

ACCOUNTS HELD IN TRUST

Brown Cemetery Fund, U. S. Savings Bond, Series G, 2½% interest,	\$1,000.00
Deacon's Fountain Fund, Maine Savings Bank, Portland, Maine, Book No. 2046, cash,	\$671.35

JOHN O. SANBORN,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1956

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

I am glad to relate in this, my third annual report as Superintendent of Schools, that there have been no faculty changes the past year. Elementary enrollments show no significant change, but a study of the number of high school pupils reveals that secondary school attendance has approximately doubled in four years. Comparative enrollment statistics are provided for your convenience:

I. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DATA

Teacher	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Eleanor Clinch,	17	10							27
Maxine Pierce,		13	14						27
Muriel Hoyt,			7	20					27
Gladys Cartret,					9	13			22
Ida Ward,							14	14	28
1956-57 Totals,	17	23	21	20	9	13	14	14	131
1955-56 Totals,	22	21	21	8	12	13	13	15	125
1954-55 Totals,	24	24	10	13	13	12	17	17	130

(Music: Flora Carpenter)

II. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

School	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	Estimated 1957-58
Fryeburg Academy,	6	5	7	10	13
Potter Academy,	14	21	28	30	32
Standish High,	6	9	7	8	10
Westbrook High,	1	1	0	0	0
Gorham High,	0	0	2	2	2
Totals,	27	36	44	50	57

During October, 1956 the elementary children participated in a mouth health education and dental decay prevention project for which a registered dental hygienist from the State Department of Health and Welfare was engaged.

The basic principles of mouth care were taught to approximately 125 children; 60 received mouth examinations; and 40 commenced topical applications of sodium fluoride solution for decay prevention, nearly all completing the full series of 4 applications. Funds have been included in the school budget to continue the program next year.

The girls' softball area was completed, and it has proved to be a most valued and useful addition to the playground facilities. Screens have been installed on the movable portion of alternate windows, and picket fencing has been made by the custodian for the front lawns. The Parent-Teachers organization purchased a jungle-gym set and an additional set of swings, with the installation being done at town expense. Funds in the amount of \$395 which the different rooms had earned was combined with \$100 from the Baldwin School Fund to purchase a movie projector to round out the audio-visual program equipment.

By way of comment pertinent to the school budget for the ensuing year, most of the increase in anticipated expenditures and in recommended appropriations is caused by high school tuition. Reference to the earlier enrollment tables will disclose that enrollment at the high school level has about doubled since 1954. In this same period of time the annual tuition rate has also increased considerably, reflecting the higher costs experienced everywhere in financing educational programs at all levels.

A budget must be thought of in terms of purchasing goods and services. As long as we are in a rising economy, it will undoubtedly be necessary to face an increased budget or else cut the quality and quantity of educational services rendered. Faced with this choice, towns are almost unanimously preserving or improving the level of educational program, albeit at greater cost. Comparative tables of appropriations and expenditures from the school department budget are provided for your study.

APPROPRIATIONS

Account	1955	1956	Proposed 1957
Elementary school,	\$18,050.00	\$18,950.00	\$19,700.00
Repairs and equipment,	400.00	400.00	600.00
Insurance,	475.00	475.00	600.00
Medical inspection,	100.00	100.00	100.00
Sodium fluoride clinic,	—	80.00	100.00
High school tuition,	8,950.00	11,700.00	14,600.00
School lunch,	1,480.00	1,480.00	1,440.00
Totals,	\$29,455.00	\$33,185.00	\$37,140.00

EXPENDITURES

Account	1955	1956	Estimated 1957
Elementary maintenance:			
Instruction,	\$12,178.26	\$12,715.27	\$14,690.00
Fuel,	1,316.20	1,543.19	1,485.00
Janitor,	2,301.68	2,337.34	2,480.00
Conveyance,	5,501.82	5,542.57	6,149.00
Tuition,	487.50	377.21	375.00
Books and supplies,	982.47	984.43	1,000.00
Utilities,	681.72	674.04	700.00
Maintenance totals,	\$23,449.65	\$24,174.05	\$26,879.00
Repairs and equipment,	\$ 401.85	\$ 631.90	\$ 492.00
Landscaping,	326.52	696.85	300.00
Insurance,	493.83	461.60	665.00
Medical inspection,	100.00	100.00	100.00
Sodium fluoride clinic,	—	80.00	100.00
School lunch,	1,400.00	1,440.00	1,440.00
Elementary totals,	\$26,171.85	\$27,584.40	\$29,976.00
High school tuition,	10,356.09	13,975.62	16,965.00
Grand totals,	\$36,527.94	\$41,560.02	\$46,941.00

Your attention should be called to the recently released Jacobs report, a comprehensive study of Maine education and its needs and finances, submitted to the 98th Legislature by the Legislative Research Committee. While this report is much too lengthy to be discussed here, it stresses the need for stronger educational programs, more financial support, larger units for both taxing and administrative purposes.

I wish to thank the faculties, school committee members and citizens for their cooperation and helpfulness the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARROLL B. RONCO,
Superintendent.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1956
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 6,118.72
Town appropriation,	18,300.00
Auditorium usage,	14.00
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	2.67
State subsidy,	4,639.00
	<hr/> \$29,074.39

Expenses

Instruction,	\$12,715.27
Fuel,	1,543.19
Janitor, cleaning, supplies,	2,337.34
Conveyance,	5,542.57
Tuition,	377.21
Utilities,	674.04
	<hr/> \$23,189.62
Unexpended this year,	5,884.77
	<hr/> \$29,074.39

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$127.21
Town appropriation,	650.00
State subsidy,	300.00
	<hr/> \$1,077.21

Expenses

Textbooks,	\$720.57
Supplies,	263.86
	<hr/> \$984.43
Unexpended this year,	92.78
	<hr/> \$1,077.21

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 1,006.71	
Town appropriation,	11,700.00	
Treasurer of State, tuition,	182.40	
State subsidy,	1,600.00	
	<hr/>	\$14,489.11

Expenses

Town of Gorham,	\$ 568.50	
Fryeburg Academy,	2,859.12	
Town of Sebago,	8,859.44	
Town of Standish,	1,688.56	
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	\$13,975.62	
Unexpended this year,	513.49	
	<hr/>	\$14,489.11

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$190.42	
Town appropriation,	400.00	
Parent-Teacher Club,	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$640.42

Expenses

Repairs,	\$469.42	
Equipment,	162.48	
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	\$631.90	
Unexpended this year,	8.52	
	<hr/>	\$640.42

LANDSCAPE**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$1,662.25	
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Expenses

Triangle Filling Station, gasoline,	\$ 1.79
Manuel Stacy, tarring drive,	147.75

Cleon Dyer, labor,	72.45
Blue Rock Quarry, concrete mix,	28.50
L. C. Andrew, lumber, supplies,	98.49
Manuel Stacy, softball field,	300.00
Cornish Hardware Co., paint,	
supplies,	19.33
Wirthmore Feed, fertilizer, wire,	28.54
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	\$696.85
Unexpended this year,	965.40
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	\$1,662.25

INSURANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 60.27	
Town appropriation,	475.00	
Myron Locke, dividend refund,	15.66	
	<hr/>	\$550.93

Expenses

Fire insurance,	\$453.10	
Liability insurance,	8.50	
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	\$461.60	
Unexpended this year,	89.33	
	<hr/>	\$550.93

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$100.00	
	<u> </u>	\$100.00
Dr. DiBiaso, examinations,	\$100.00	
	<u> </u>	\$100.00

SODIUM FLUORIDE CLINIC

Town appropriation,	\$80.00	
	<hr/>	\$80.00
Expenses		
Treasurer of State,	\$80.00	
	<hr/>	\$80.00

SCHOOL LUNCH**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 324.52	
Town appropriation,	1,480.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.52

Expenses

Doris Sanborn, cook,	\$1,080.00	
Norma Thomas, assistant,	130.00	
Alice Wood, assistant,	70.00	
Erma Nelson, assistant,	160.00	
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	\$1,440.00	
Unexpended this year,	364.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.52

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

The public health nursing program as carried on in Baldwin includes all types of nursing visits to the home and school as well as participation in community health activities. As you know this past year much emphasis has been placed on protecting all children from poliomyelitis. The concentrated effort applied in that direction has curtailed other activities somewhat.

In March and April the polio vaccine was offered to children from 5 years of age through 14 years. Fifty-nine children completed the two inoculations in April.

In November an immunization clinic was held which ninety-three infants, preschool, and school children attended. Twenty-seven were vaccinated against smallpox and forty-nine children received booster doses of diphtheria, tetanus, and whooping cough serum. The remainder received their first inoculation against the latter and poliomyelitis.

In December at the second immunization clinic six children received booster doses and twenty-six completed their second polio inoculations.

Plans have been made to hold a third clinic in January to complete the protection started on some of the children in the two previous months. The booster dose for poliomyelitis will also be offered to all children who completed the two inoculations seven months or more previously.

The physical examination which was started in the school last spring was continued. Twenty-four children were examined in January and thirty-two in April which completed the examinations scheduled for the last school year. Parent participation, although not 100%, was excellent and I am sure that the examinations of the school children planned for January or February will show the same keen interest. I repeat that parent participation is greatly to be desired as an excellent opportunity is provided for consultation with the doctor, nurse, and teacher.

Some families have been visited in their homes during the year. Home visits, which are an important part of the nursing program, are made for many varied reasons. The visit provides an excellent opportunity to discuss with the parent any health problem, whether it be in relation to an infant, school child or an aged person in the home.

It was a pleasure to learn of the fluorine program carried on in your town. It is always of interest to learn of any activity which helps in bringing good health to you and your family.

Audiometer tests are planned for the coming year to discover children who have any hearing loss. Too, at least three child health conferences are planned for the summer months.

I take this opportunity to thank those persons who in any way assisted with the program last year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR GRIFFITHS, R. N.,

Div. of Public Health Nursing.

PROGRESS REPORT ON MOUTH HEALTH PROJECT

To the School Board of Baldwin:

A mouth health education project combined with a sodium fluoride application program has recently been completed in the Town of Baldwin. This project covered a period of eight days. The purpose of such a program is to stimulate interest in better mouth health through education and to encourage prevention of dental decay by sodium fluoride applications, by more careful home care, and by establishing more correct dietary habits. It is also designed to encourage the child to visit the dentist at regular intervals.

Particular age groups were offered a series of sodium fluoride applications for the partial prevention of anticipated tooth decay. This series consisted of four applications of a mild solution of sodium fluoride, with

the first application preceded by a professional cleaning. In addition, an examination of the child's mouth was made with mouth mirror and explorer. At the time of examination, individual instruction was given with attention called to that particular aspect of the patient's mouth that appeared to need more complete care for improvement of mouth health. Each child was supervised in toothbrushing technique and the application of it to his own mouth. This is a very important point.

Research has proved that sodium fluoride applications given two to seven days apart produce the maximum protection to the teeth. Therefore, these applications were staggered accordingly. Because they are staggered applications and it is only before the first one that any cleaning is given, it is important that the teeth be kept clean during the process, for even though this solution has a special affinity for the enamel of a tooth, it is doubtful that it can penetrate the "fuzz" found on a tooth neglected by brushing. We try to emphasize toothbrushing and generally speaking the children do very well.

In addition to the grades receiving the applications, the first grade was examined for dental and habit defects. These are the children who will be eligible in another year for the sodium fluoride applications.

In order that the parents might know just where the children stand as regards dental health and future applications of sodium fluoride, a report on each child examined was sent home recommending home and dental care where necessary, and suggesting ages suitable for the child's next series of applications. The ages of 3, 7, 10 and 13 have been found to be the most suitable for the child to receive the fullest benefit from the applications. It is at these ages that the teeth are found to be erupting in pairs and it is because most children in grades 2, 5 and 8 are these particular ages that these grades have become the most popular for the applications.

The total number of children who received the individual instruction and examination was 60. Of these, forty had sodium fluoride applications. Of the total number examined five had what is termed a clean mouth, one free from all stain, film, and food deposits. There were six who had all decay corrected and four who had no decay present nor had ever had any. Among those seen 8 claim they see their dentist regularly, at least twice a year. A closer consideration of these facts means there are ten of the sixty examined we can say have a perfectly healthy mouth—one free from the need of dental attention of an immediate nature.

It is apparent that there is a great deal that may be accomplished in Baldwin by continuance of this sort of program. In dentistry today the trend is toward prevention and it is a generally accepted fact that many things can be done to produce better teeth for this generation. A good start has been made in Baldwin this year. Continued education of the children through classroom teaching, and through parent education will go far toward helping a community to better health through better mouth health. Reading and writing surely mean little if people cannot learn to care for their health and care for themselves. Health certainly appears to belong in the classroom.

Many communities have adopted the idea of giving three year olds the sodium fluoride applications. The younger the child, the better or more easily established the health habit. The younger the child, the sooner the protection from the applications. The young child is generally accompanied by a parent who at this time can be given a good many hints as to what can be done to prevent decay.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone for cooperating so well and for helping the program to run so smoothly. The program was well planned and well executed. Working in Baldwin was very pleasant.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MILLER,

Dental Hygienist, Division of Dental Health.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

January 24, 1957.

Board of Selectmen
Town of Baldwin
Maine
Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request we have examined the books of account and records of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1956, and submit herewith the following exhibits and supporting schedules reflecting the municipal operations for the year and the financial condition at the close of the year.

Exhibit "A" Valuation and commitment

Exhibit "B" Balance sheet

Exhibit "C" Statement of appropriations

Exhibit "D" Analysis of general fund surplus

Schedule 1 Statement of cash receipts and disbursements.

Schedule 2 Statement of trust funds

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collector of taxes, and selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1956. We ascertained that all cash shown to have been received by these officials had been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper and made such other tests as we deemed necessary without making a detailed audit of the transactions. Uncollected taxes were not confirmed with the taxpayer.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying balance sheet and related statements present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at December 31, 1956 and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE.

By Fred R. Gould,
Certified Public Accountant.

BALANCE SHEET

Year Ended December 31, 1956

ASSETS

General Fund:

Current assets:

Cash,	\$10,176.13
Uncollected taxes,	10,050.16
Uncollected tax liens,	2,123.36
Accounts receivable,	2,723.36

Total assets general fund, \$25,073.01

Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable to be paid out of future appropriations,	12,500.00
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Trust Funds Invested:

Hannah Woodman fund,	\$1,000.00
Deacon's Fountain fund,	681.41

Total trust funds, 1,681.41

Total assets and trust funds, \$39,254.42

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

General Fund:

Reserves:

School funds Exhibit "C",	\$ 7,918.81
Revaluation fund Exhibit "C",	2,000.00
Civilian defense Exhibit "C",	200.00
Dutch elm disease fund Ex- hibit "C",	200.00

\$10,318.81

1957 excise taxes, 239.47

\$10,558.28

Unappropriated surplus, 14,514.73

Total liabilities, reserves and surplus, \$25,073.51

Consolidated School Building Fund:

Notes payable serially 2%,	12,500.00
Trust funds principal and unused income,	1,681.41

Total liabilities, reserves, surplus and trust funds,	\$39,254.42
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Exhibit "D"

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL FUND SURPLUS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1956

Balance, December 31, 1955,	\$16,795.71
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Additions:

Supplemental taxes,	\$510.55
Accounts receivable,	764.04
Lien costs and interest,	92.87
	<u>\$ 1,367.46</u>
	\$18,163.17

Deductions:

Appropriations overexpended	
Exhibit "C",	\$3,573.76
Abatements,	74.68
	<u>\$ 3,648.44</u>

Balance, December 31, 1956,	\$14,514.73
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Mr. Clarence O'Brien
West Babylon
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Annual Report

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For the Fiscal Year ending

DECEMBER 31, 1957

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December 31, 1957

TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
IDA F. WARD

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor
LEROY F. WOOD WENDELL B. WIGGIN
ROSCOE C. SPENCER

Superintending School Committee
ROSCOE C. SPENCER **J. CARROLL BABB**
LESTER H. WOOD

Superintendent of Schools
CARROLL B. RONCO

Treasurer
JOHN O. SANBORN

Tax Collector
HARRY F. WARD

Excise Tax Collector
HARRY F. WARD

Road Commissioners
JOHN H. CRAWFORD, JR. LESTER H. WOOD
MURRAY MILLIKEN

Town Forest Fire Warden
ROLAND B. CHASE

Fire Wards
LESTER H. WOOD MURRAY MILLIKEN
NORMAN McKENNEY

Health Officer
DR. ANTHONY DiBIASO

Constable
CARROLL EDWARDS

AUDITOR'S REPORT

February 4, 1958.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Baldwin,
Maine.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your request, we have examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collectors and selectmen of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1957.

In connection with our audit, we examined the books of account and records of the treasurer, collectors and selectmen of the Town of Baldwin for the year ended December 31, 1957, ascertained that all cash received by these officials has been properly accounted for, that all disbursements appear to be proper, and made such other tests as we deemed necessary, without making a detailed audit of the transactions.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the balance sheet and related statements as submitted by us, present fairly the financial position of the Town of Baldwin at December 31, 1957, and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

GRAFFAM'S ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
by FRED R. GOULD,
Certified Public Accountant.

A complete copy of the auditor's report is on file in the selectmen's office.

SUGGESTED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1958

Recommended by the Selectmen

Article 4.	Support of the poor,	\$ 4,000.00
Article 5.	Roads and bridges,	4,500.00
Article 6.	Miscellaneous,	2,500.00
Article 7.	Cutting bushes,	300.00
Article 8.	State aid construction,	1,066.00
Article 10.	Officers' compensation,	3,500.00
Article 11.	Snow removal,	6,000.00
Article 12.	Memorial Day fund,	75.00
Article 13.	West Baldwin cemetery,	25.00
Article 14.	Street lights,	630.00
Article 15.	Int. on town loans and notes,	700.00
Article 16.	Audit,	350.00
Article 18.	Public health nurse,	100.00
Article 20.	Fire companies,	2,325.00
Article 22.	East Baldwin library,	200.00
Article 25.	School loan note,	5,000.00
Article 26.	Support of schools,	36,000.00
Article 29.	Social security,	500.00

WARRANT

To Carroll Edwards, a Constable of the Town of Baldwin, in the County of Cumberland,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Baldwin, qualified by law to vote in said town affairs, to assemble at the Consolidated School, Baldwin, in said town, on the 3rd day of March, 1958, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose or elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose or elect one selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, tax collector, treasurer, excise tax collector, constable, town clerk, road commissioners; also one member of the superintending school committee and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept, or act upon, the report of its selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, clerk, and treasurer, and other town officers for the past year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of roads and bridges.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a miscellaneous fund.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes on the town roads.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State aid construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 44, 49 or 50, Chapter 23, R. S. of 1954 as amended.

Art. 9. To see what the town will vote to pay its town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for officers' compensation.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Williams-Goodwin Post, American Legion, as a Memorial Day fund.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate as a cemetery fund.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on temporary loans and outstanding notes.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of employing a certified public accountant to audit the town records for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to instruct or authorize its selectmen to hire such sums of money as are necessary to pay current expenses of the town for the ensuing year, these loans made in anticipation of 1958 taxes.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for public health nursing in Baldwin. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 19. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, of the R. S. of 1954.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the fire companies.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to take out Workmen's Compensation, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the library at East Baldwin.

Art. 23. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to sell or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for the non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 24. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to collect unpaid taxes due the town by taking same from money or wages that may be paid to such delinquent tax payers by the town.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the annual payment on the school loan.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for elementary school maintenance; repairs and equipment, insurance, superintendent and office, school lunch, high school tuition, medical examination and sodium fluoride clinic.

Budget requests made by the superintending school committee are as follows:

Elementary school maintenance,	\$19,300.00
Repairs and equipment,	500.00
Insurance,	600.00
Superintendent and office,	1,100.00
School lunch,	1,400.00
High school tuition,	12,900.00
Medical examinations,	100.00
Sodium fluoride clinic,	100.00
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	\$36,000.00

Art. 27. To see what action the town will vote for the guidance of the school committee concerning the provision of a pre-primary class.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to increase the fund for revaluing the town.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for social security.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to prevent the spread of the Dutch Elm disease.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to purchase any new equipment for snow removal for the northern end of the town and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to have additional street lights installed near Paul Estes, Jesse Decker's and George Jewett's grain store and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to have the Lucas Tree Co. spray beside any of the town roads and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 34. To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of advertising its resources and attractions. Said sum to be expended by the Ossipee Valley Development Association.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair the Mountain Road, so called, from Perley Thorne's to the Burnell Valley Road.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar the road leading to the Harry Sanborn place.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to improve the Ward's Hill Road from Tom Hammond's barn to the Hiram line.

Given under our hands at Baldwin this 8th day of February, 1958.

LEROY F. WOOD,

WENDELL B. WIGGIN,

ROSCOE C. SPENCER,

Selectmen of Baldwin.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Baldwin:

We herewith present our annual report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1957.

Respectfully submitted,

LEROY F. WOOD,
WENDELL B. WIGGIN,
ROSCOE C. SPENCER,
Selectmen of Baldwin.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

1957 ASSESSMENT AND VALUATION AS OF APRIL, 1957

Real estate, resident,	\$175,565.00
Personal estate, resident,	42,810.00
Real estate, non-resident,	467,385.00
Personal estate, non-resident,	11,825.00
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Total valuation,	\$697,585.00
Appropriated by the town,	\$71,116.00
County tax,	1,852.20
Overlay,	1,575.81
Committed to collector,	
including polls,	\$74,544.01
Excise tax collected,	3,908.30
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Total,	\$78,452.31

Number of polls taxed, 200, \$600.00.

Number of polls not taxed, 61.

Rate of taxation, .106.

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

	No.	Value
Taxable cattle:		
Bulls, cows, beef, etc.,	150	\$6,880.00
Domestic fowl:		
Over 50 in number,	27,215	5,515.00
Other taxable livestock:		
Horses, sheep, swine, etc.,	17	1,000.00
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		\$13,395.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK

Cattle, 18 mos. and younger,	67	\$670.00
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PERSONAL PROPERTY, INCLUDING LIVESTOCK

Stock in trade,	\$ 4,925.00	
Machinery and equipment,	525.00	
Wood, lumber and logs,	20,675.00	
Furniture, etc.,		
Including radios and T. V.'s,	12,360.00	
Livestock, brought forward,	13,395.00	
Other kinds of taxable personal property,	2,755.00	
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		\$54,635.00

INDUSTRIAL PROPERTIES

Railroads,	\$ 750.00
Light and Power Co.,	363,660.00
Woodworking mills,	24,875.00
Wood flour mill,	7,500.00

ABATEMENTS, 1956

Total abatements,	\$44.98
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SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES, 1956

5 polls @ \$3.00 — \$15.00.

ABATEMENTS, 1957

Albert and Angie Thombs,	\$67.66	
Everett Emerson,	61.48	
Adelaide Rowe,	6.37	
Llewellyn Verrill,	3.00	
Myron Lord heirs,	2.00	
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		\$140.51

SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES, 1957

John Cressey,	\$ 3.00
Melvin DeRenne,	16.96
Paul Estes,	33.60
Herbert Frost,	3.00
Robert Graffam,	12.19
Raymond and Marcia LeBreton,	10.70
Richard F. Chase,	106.00
Wilbur Sanborn,	3.00
Leo A. Compagna,	3.00
Lucien Hamilton,	3.00
LaForrest Horton,	3.00
Charles Whitney,	3.00
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	\$200.45

UNPAID TAXES—RESIDENT

Yves Barriault,	\$ 10.60
Lorraine Barriault,	21.74
Norman Berry,	10.82
Clifford Burnell,	23.32
Henry Crawford,	3.00
Henry and Roberta Crawford,	61.48
Edwin Crawford,	19.62
Leon Cressey,	5.30
Arnold Day,	31.28
Jesse Decker,	3.00
George Dolloff,	3.00
Joseph and Monica Dwyer,	140.46
Arthur Dyer,	147.34
Nelson Estes,	5.30
Lester Frazier,	3.00
Bernard Graffam,	8.30
George Graffam,	24.92
William O. Guptill,	14.31
Charles Harrington,	32.86
Lawrence Hoyt,	193.46
John Hurst,	15.90
Warren Hutton,	31.27
Robert M. Isaacs,	3.00

Dana Jacobs,	3.00
Amy P. Lane,	5.30
Elizabeth Mason,	57.24
Edward McNeill,	37.10
John W. McNeill, Sr.,	106.62
Ellsworth Moore,	7.42
Arlene Morton,	5.30
Charles Morton,	5.30
Genevieve Murch,	6.36
Lester Murch,	25.97
Marlo Murch,	6.36
Raymond Murch,	37.18
Leslie Nelson,	57.77
Chester Noble,	5.30
Phoebe Noble heirs,	3.71
Veikko Papponen,	6.71
Erna Parker,	6.36
William Parker,	47.70
John Patrick, Jr.,	3.00
Elmer Perkins,	24.92
Roger Riley,	7.95
Roger Riley and Ralph Crawford,	154.76
Ruell Robbins,	18.38
Edwin Rounds, II,	11.66
Leander Rounds heirs,	15.90
Myron L. Sanborn, Jr.,	5.30
John Smallidge,	6.36
Carl and Althea Sutter,	15.22
Alden Thomas,	8.30
Olin Thomas,	28.97
Rose Thomas,	5.30
Raymond Thombs,	21.55
Richard Thorne,	5.30
Glenn Verrill,	80.56
Alton Walker,	5.30
Ernest Walker, Jr.,	3.00
Harry Walker,	8.30
Horace Walker,	6.36
William Walker,	5.30

Ernest Warren, East Baldwin,	27.56
Lloyd Wentworth,	56.00
Norman Whitney heirs,	9.54
Lottie Wiley,	30.22
Clifton Wood heirs,	15.90
	<hr/> \$2,016.55

UNPAID TAXES—NON-RESIDENT

George Bertalam,	\$ 7.96
Robert Boysan,	2.66
Wallace Carver,	3.71
Joe Cohen,	31.80
Ernest Crawford,	19.62
Daniel B. and Jeanette Hardy,	27.56
Daniel B. Hardy,	29.15
John Jewell,	31.80
William Kenney,	10.60
Alma LeGoff,	79.50
Benjamin Lewis,	816.20
Arthur Libby,	53.00
Joseph Paul Martin,	15.90
Edward Purtell,	84.80
John Rennie,	15.90
Edward Theriault heirs,	13.25
Alec Whitney,	23.85
Ralph and Rose Wilkinson,	42.40
Gladys Wood,	39.75
	<hr/> \$1,349.41

SUMMARY OF ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town,	\$4,500.00
Balance, January 1, 1957,	258.50
	<hr/> \$4,758.50
Expended by Mr. Wood,	\$1,468.18
Expended by Mr. Milliken,	1,471.41
Expended by Mr. Crawford,	1,675.05
	<hr/> \$4,614.64

Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$143.86
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EAST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Lester Wood, commissioner,	\$ 79.07
Lucien Lord, labor,	121.16
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	100.63
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	312.15
F. E. Wood & Sons, loader,	90.75
Arthur Powers, labor,	30.81
Arthur Powers, truck,	92.95
Edwin Murch, labor,	91.91
Wirthmore Feed Co., shovels,	7.50
F. E. Wood & Sons, tractor,	80.00
John Crawford, Jr., labor,	12.85
Everett Davis, labor,	3.08
Edwin Crawford, labor,	11.29
Jesse Decker, labor,	11.29
Richard Buzzell, labor,	12.83
Ellsworth Perkins, labor,	27.72
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	220.70
Marlo Murch, labor,	12.32
Walter Murch, labor,	8.21
Triangle Filling Station, gas,	4.75
Arthur Hoyt, labor,	35.97
Ralph Johnson, Jr., labor,	23.61
Roland Guptill, gravel,	.50
Blue Rock Quarry,	76.13
	—————\$1,468.18

WEST BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$191.75
Murray Milliken, truck,	17.00
Merle Moore, labor,	12.32
William Sturgeon, loader,	20.00
William Sturgeon, shovel,	60.00
William Sturgeon, truck,	237.03
William Sturgeon, labor,	8.99
Clarence Dearborn, labor,	38.27
Ralph Crawford, tractor,	44.00
George W. Jewett & Son, gas,	5.27
George Oliver, labor,	16.42

Fred McKenney, labor,	8.21
Philip Day, labor,	23.00
Joe Rankin, labor,	4.11
Earle Sanborn, labor,	29.52
Ralph Cram, labor,	13.49
Blue Rock Quarry,	6.23
Raymond Murch, Jr., labor,	11.24
Elwin Day, labor,	11.93
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	44.66
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, truck,	46.40
Fulton Stanley, labor,	8.99
Arthur Powers, labor,	8.99
Arthur Powers, truck,	18.80
Everett Davis, labor,	23.61
Everett Davis, truck,	48.15
Leslie Roberts, labor,	8.99
Robert Norton, gravel,	20.00
Leslie Roberts, truck,	18.80
David Ward, labor,	8.99
Delbert Gilpatrick, truck,	18.80
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	48.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	48.96
Walter Poor, gravel,	28.00
P. R. Boston,	235.00
Clifford Verrill, labor,	8.99
Saco Valley Garage,	8.50
Joe Beal, bulldozer,	60.00
	<hr/> \$1,471.41

NORTH BALDWIN TOWN ROADS

John Crawford, commissioner,	\$362.89
Alfred Crawford, labor,	35.19
Edwin Crawford, labor,	246.60
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozer,	90.00
Jesse Decker, labor,	224.20
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	4.24
Everett Davis, labor,	127.67
Everett Davis, truck,	80.65
H. F. Partridge, gas,	76.55

H. F. Partridge, chain,	6.40
G. W. Jewett & Son, tools,	5.97
Triangle Filling Station, gas,	12.76
Town of Sebago, gravel,	9.00
Lawrence W. Fitch, bolts,	8.36
Chute's Express,	1.55
Edwards & Walker Co.,	21.56
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	115.00
Walter Murch, labor,	53.74
Giguere Construction Co.,	174.73
Franklin Walker, labor,	17.99
	<hr/> \$1,675.05

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,066.00
Received from the State,	2,613.10
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	36.59
	<hr/> \$3,715.69

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$202.80
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,	284.97
Charles Hill, labor,	19.90
William Nason, labor,	7.18
Fred Anderson, labor,	56.35
Raymond Anderson, labor,	53.55
John Lord, Jr., labor,	2.10
Oliver Irish, labor,	2.10
James Nason, labor,	2.10
George Anderson, labor,	10.26
George Anderson, truck,	212.75
Anderson & Irish, loader,	22.50
Burnham Bros., grader,	30.00
John Crawford, labor,	111.29
Jesse Decker, labor,	112.41
Walter Murch, labor,	98.92
Edwin Crawford, labor,	84.31
Koppers Co., Inc.,	477.75
Everett Davis, labor,	42.71
Everett Davis, truck,	82.80
T. Arthur Powers, labor,	40.47
T. Arthur Powers, truck,	82.80

George Anderson, bulldozer operator,	58.40
Leon Morton, shovel operator,	80.85
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	12.37
Wood Brothers, bulldozer,	198.00
Willis Harmon, shovel,	225.28
Willis Harmon, bulldozer,	144.00
L. W. Fitch, nails,	1.41
Giguere Construction Co., blasting,	676.58
Hawkes Lumber Co., wire,	1.66
Norman Berry, gravel,	218.00
	<hr/> \$3,656.57

Unexpended balance, Dec. 31,
1957, \$59.12

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	88.54
	<hr/> \$588.54
John Crawford, Jr., commissioner,	\$57.19
L. W. Fitch, scythes and stone,	9.15
Jesse Decker, labor,	42.71
Walter Murch, labor,	42.71
Everett Davis, labor,	50.58
Edwin Crawford, labor,	33.72
Harland Bliss, labor,	2.25
Harland Bliss, tractor,	3.60
Earle Sanborn, labor,	1.69
Guy Jones, labor,	41.54
Guy Jones, tractor,	85.00
	<hr/> \$370.14

Unexpended balance, Dec. 31,
1957, \$218.40

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Apportioned by the State,	\$4,536.43
Received from John Crawford for	
lumber,	5.00
Town's share, gravel,	554.39
	<hr/> \$5,095.82

Harry McKenney, foreman,	\$346.76
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., arch,	470.40
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	570.42
John Crawford, labor,	319.05
Edwin Crawford, labor,	263.04
Jesse Decker, labor,	88.80
Walter Murch, labor,	274.29
Everett Davis, labor,	192.22
Everett Davis, truck,	241.50
Lloyd Wentworth, labor,	4.50
Arthur Powers, labor,	57.34
Arthur Powers, truck,	98.90
Leon Morton, shovel operator,	189.28
George Anderson, labor,	5.86
Willis Harmon, shovel,	558.72
David Ward, labor,	33.72
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, truck,	69.00
Wood Brothers, bulldozer,	675.00
Wirthmore Feed Co., cement,	14.20
F. E. Wood & Sons, lumber,	45.90
Blue Rock Quarry, cement,	110.63
Raymond Anderson, labor,	8.99
Fred Anderson, labor,	7.87
Oliver Irish, labor,	8.99
George Anderson, truck,	89.70
Hartley Little, labor,	69.60
H. F. Partridge, kerosene,	2.70
L. W. Fitch, nails,	2.34
Leon Murch, gravel,	108.80
Norman Berry, gravel,	148.80
Harry Irish & Son, rent of pumper,	10.00
	<hr/> \$5,087.32

Unexpended balance, Dec. 31,
1957,

\$8.50

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriated by the town,	\$6,000.00
Received from the State,	1,946.10

Received from John O. Sanborn, 3rd, overpaid,	44.85
Received from H. Everett Davis, overpaid,	37.68
	<hr/> \$8,028.63
Murray Milliken, commissioner,	\$359.77
Murray Milliken, truck,	216.00
Gordon Milliken, labor,	30.90
Lester Frazier, labor,	6.68
Leonard Locke, labor,	104.70
Ralph Crawford, labor,	102.13
Merle Moore, labor,	23.61
Guy Ridlon, labor,	59.02
Guy Ridlon, tractor,	86.25
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, labor,	112.10
John O. Sanborn, 3rd, truck,	212.03
Joe Rankin, labor,	1.12
Saco Valley Garage, repairs,	161.22
Portland Tractor Co., parts,	45.50
Files & O'Keefe, parts,	50.41
Triangle Garage, repairs, parts,	745.24
Triangle Filling Station, gas,	71.02
H. F. Partridge, gas,	106.83
John Crawford, commissioner,	448.46
Edwin Crawford, labor,	333.95
Jesse Decker, labor,	163.86
Raymond Thombs, labor,	113.62
Everett Davis, labor,	150.33
Everett Davis, truck,	321.59
Alfred Crawford, labor,	68.82
Arthur Powers, labor,	98.29
Arthur Powers, truck,	126.10
Lester Wood, commissioner,	182.51
Lester Wood, Jr., labor,	35.82
Everett Smith, labor,	12.93
Ellsworth Perkins, labor,	71.87
Arnold Wentworth, labor,	20.80
Raymond Orben, labor,	2.05

Clarence Crawford, labor,	5.62
F. E. Wood & Sons, truck,	896.94
F. E. Wood & Sons, parts,	79.23
Paul Eldridge, labor,	5.13
Ralph Cram, labor,	34.85
Glendon Buzzell, labor,	9.24
Russell Hoyt, labor,	6.19
George Dolloff, labor,	8.21
Arthur Hoyt, labor,	5.62
Leroy Wood, labor,	47.74
Charles Irish, labor,	19.28
Richard Buzzell, labor,	57.54
Marlo Murch, labor,	3.15
Philip Day, labor,	9.45
Philip Day, truck,	34.50
Carl Day, labor,	9.45
William Sturgeon, truck,	147.25
William Sturgeon, shovel,	46.40
William Sturgeon, loader,	175.00
Cornish Hardware, parts,	.65
Wirthmore Feed Co., shovel,	3.00
Llewellyn Verrill, labor,	11.27
M. S. Burnell, gas and repairs,	231.78
Franklin Walker, labor,	17.40
White's Garage, parts,	26.10
Wendell Wiggin, labor and mileage,	9.82
G. W. Jewett & Son, oil, etc.,	20.56
W. B. Richardson, parts, repairs,	10.40
Biddeford Tire Shop, parts,	15.92
West Shore Garage, parts,	2.98
Treasurer of State, plowing route 113,	434.00
Forest City Motors, parts,	130.00
Hardy's Garage, repairs and parts,	264.20
Raymond Murch, Jr., labor,	5.13
A. F. Atherton, parts,	17.46
Bailey Auto. Supply, parts,	13.53
George Anderson, shovel,	68.00
George Anderson, truck,	59.90
George Anderson, labor,	31.47

Raymond Anderson, labor,	14.61
Raymond Ayer, sand,	32.00
W. H. Shurtleff, salt,	955.56
Adjustment to correct error,	69.98
	<hr/> \$8,692.04

Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1957, \$663.41

OFFICERS' COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$4,000.00
John O. Sanborn, treasurer,	\$410.52
Carroll B. Ronco, superintendent,	983.34
Roscoe Spencer, selectman,	467.24
Ida F. Ward, town clerk,	97.74
Roscoe Spencer, moderator,	10.00
Ruth Wood, ballot clerk,	16.00
Eva Spencer, ballot clerk,	16.00
Alice Wood, ballot clerk,	16.00
Wendell Wiggin, selectman,	739.40
Harry Ward, tax collector,	640.40
Dr. Anthony DiBiaso, health officer,	25.00
Roy Wood, selectman,	479.45
Olive Burnell, ballot clerk,	16.00
Carroll Edwards, constable,	30.00
J. Carroll Babb, school committee,	48.87
Roscoe Spencer, school committee,	48.87
Lester Wood, school committee,	48.87
	<hr/> \$4,093.70

Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1957, \$93.70

MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriated by the town,	\$2,500.00
Received from State, license Dancemore,	2.00
Bank stock tax,	14.37
Received from State, R. R. and telephone and telegraph refund,	17.60
Received from Brown Cemetery fund,	25.00
Received from State, library stipend,	20.00
	<hr/> \$2,578.97

Myra B. Andrews, treasurer's supplies,	\$ 31.38
Myron T. Locke, insurance town trucks,	117.80
Myron T. Locke, accident insurance,	142.45
Corliss & Lane, legal advice,	5.00
Triangle Garage, repairing road machine,	40.14
Triangle Garage, labor and brake fluid,	4.00
New England Telephone and Telegraph, office phone,	80.95
Maine Municipal Association, yearly dues,	60.00
Wendell B. Wiggin, mileage, telephone, etc.,	194.85
Melvin DeRenne, tax refund,	16.66
Central Maine Power Co., plowshed lights,	53.84
Central Maine Power Co., traffic light,	75.73
J. O. Sanborn, mileage, postage, etc.,	64.14
Ernest Bliss, care of Brown Cemetery,	25.00
Roscoe C. Spencer, mileage, telephone, etc.,	155.39
George W. Jewett & Son, motor oil,	6.03
Treasurer of State, social security,	419.25
Hardy's Garage, repairs on grader,	14.95
Kezar Falls National Bank, treasurer's supplies,	12.91
Ida F. Ward, town clerk's expenses,	6.67
Loring, Short & Harmon, clerk's supplies,	17.73
Loring, Short & Harmon, collector's supplies,	12.56
Leroy Wood, telephone, mileage, etc.,	109.30
Roxa Belle Palmer, real estate transfers,	16.00
Chester V. Small, selectmen's supplies,	11.25
Chester V. Small, town printing,	309.50
Chester V. Small, treasurer's supplies,	7.00
Chester V. Small, tax collector's supplies,	9.15
L. W. Somers Co., officers' bonds,	92.50
Ida F. Ward, tax liens,	5.00
Harry F. Ward, collector's expenses,	27.00
Harry F. Ward, tax liens,	37.50
Discount Martin, selectmen's supplies,	1.98
West Shore Garage, road machine repair,	6.00
Marks Printing House, selectmen's supplies,	52.44
Marks Printing House, treasurer's supplies,	30.88
Petro Metal Industries, road signs,	180.29
Lester Wood, fire patrol,	4.11

Richard Buzzell, fire patrol,	4.11
Charles Irish, fire patrol,	2.05
Raymond Wood, fire patrol,	2.05
Ellsworth Perkins, fire patrol,	1.03
Norman McKenney, fire patrol,	3.08
Wendell Wiggin, fire patrol,	3.08
Carroll Babb, fire patrol,	1.03
F. E. Wood & Sons, bulldozing town dump,	55.00
Edwin Crawford, fire patrol,	13.49
Clarence Crawford, fire patrol,	13.49
Norman Pomerleau, fire patrol,	13.49
Herbert Buzzell, fire patrol,	13.49

\$2,582.72

Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1957, \$3.75

GENERAL RELIEF

Appropriated by the town, \$4,000.00

Received from:

Case No. 1,	720.00
Case No. 2,	281.85
State on Harry Walker,	169.95
Hiram on Clifford Thorne,	5.00

Due from:

State on Harry Walker,	24.95
Hiram on Clifford Thorne,	210.00
Hiram on Carl Walker,	32.37
Brownfield on Chester Noble,	292.00
Hiram on Case No. 9,	3.00

\$5,739.12

Case No. 1, board, supplies, doctor,
and medicine, \$1,422.41

Case No. 2, doctor, 124.00

Harry Walker, doctor, groceries, 194.90

William Walker, doctor, groceries,
hospital and clothing, 686.91

Case No. 3, doctor and groceries, 317.62

Carl Walker, doctor and clothing, 32.37

Harry Dyer, doctor and groceries,	37.00
Helen Walker, doctor and groceries,	428.09
Ellsworth Moore, groceries and fuel,	809.50
Minnie Judkins, groceries, doctor, fuel and supplies,	505.44
Case No. 5, groceries,	29.25
Case No. 6, doctor and care,	718.31
Case No. 7, doctor, board and fuel,	545.50
Chester Noble, doctor,	292.00
Town's share, 18% A. D. C. cases,	724.32
Everett Perkins, board,	72.00
Case No. 8, doctor and groceries,	31.98
Effie Whitney, doctor,	9.00
Case No. 9, doctor,	3.00
Case No. 10, doctor,	5.00
Clifford Thorne, board,	215.00
Clarence Harmon, groceries,	21.32
	<hr/> \$7,224.92

Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$1,485.80
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The bill due Baldwin from Brownfield, Dec. 31, 1957, is \$3,015.36. The selectmen have put this bill in the hands of an attorney for collection.

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated by the town,	\$630.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.,	\$630.00

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	214.13
Myron Locke Agency, refund,	9.77
	<hr/> \$323.90
Myron T. Locke Agency,	155.36
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$168.54

WEST BALDWIN CEMETERY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$25.00
Paid West Baldwin Cemetery Association,	\$25.00

AUDIT ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$300.00
Paid Graffam's Accounting Service,	\$300.00

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL NOTE

Appropriated by the town,	\$5,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$5,000.00

ANTICIPATION OF TAX NOTES

Borrowed in anticipation of taxes,	\$30,000.00
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,	\$30,000.00

BROWN MOUNTAIN ROAD

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,800.00
Paid P. R. Boston Co., for tarring,	2,000.00

Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$200.00
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EAST BALDWIN LIBRARY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$200.00
Paid East Baldwin Library Association,	\$200.00

FIRE COMPANIES ACCOUNT

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,800.00
Paid East Baldwin Fire Co.,	\$600.00
Paid West Baldwin Fire Co.,	600.00
Paid North Baldwin Fire Co.,	600.00
	<hr/> \$1,800.00

MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Appropriated by the town,	\$75.00
Paid Williams-Goodwin Post,	\$75.00

HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Paid State Health and Welfare Dept.,	\$100.00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Ellie K. Hawes, county treasurer,	\$1,852.20
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INTEREST ON TOWN NOTES

Appropriated by the town,	\$400.00	
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	355.12	
	<hr/>	\$755.12
Paid Kezar Falls National Bank,		709.17
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,		\$45.95

SOCIAL SECURITY

Appropriated by the town,	\$500.00
Paid treasurer of State of Maine,	464.63

Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$35.37
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SPECIAL CONFERENCE

Carroll B. Ronco, expenses attending special supt.'s conference, Baldwin's share,	\$45.00
Paid Carroll B. Ronco, supt. of schools,	\$45.00

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	\$200.00
Balance, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$200.00

DUTCH ELM DISEASE

Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	\$200.00
Balance, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$200.00

REVALUATION FUND

Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	\$2,000.00
Appropriated by the town,	500.00

Balance, Dec. 31, 1957,	\$2,500.00
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GENERAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT**Resources**

Appropriated by the town,	\$19,700.00
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	5,977.55
Use of auditorium,	2.00
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	5.00
State subsidy,	8,292.00
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	\$33,976.55

Expenses

Teaching,	\$14,181.25	
Fuel,	1,459.77	
Janitor, cleaning and supplies,	2,693.41	
Conveyance,	6,054.97	
Elementary tuition,	412.50	
Books and supplies,	1,295.63	
Utilities,	627.07	
	<hr/>	\$26,724.60
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,		\$7,251.95

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Flora Carpenter,	\$ 690.44	
Gladys Cartret,	2,256.08	
Eleanor Clinch,	2,411.80	
Muriel Hoyt,	1,953.64	
Maxine Pierce,	1,725.63	
Ida Ward,	2,106.10	
Rinehart Handwriting System,	330.00	
Alice Boothby,	75.00	
Mae Stanley,	110.00	
Evelyn Day,	10.00	
Bernice Huber,	20.00	
Teachers' insurance,	327.06	
Withholding tax,	1,521.40	
Teachers' retirement fund,	644.10	
	<hr/>	\$14,181.25

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Sebago,	\$412.50
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FUEL

George W. Jewett & Sons, Inc.,	\$1,459.77
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JANITOR

Cleon Dyer, janitor,	\$2,200.22
Bernard Greely & Son,	16.00
William Gupstill,	2.00
Roland Gupstill,	24.00
Norton Hardware Co.,	3.02

Milton Bradley Co.,	57.52	
Pioneer Manufacturing Co.,	39.26	
Sani-Clean Distributors,	70.20	
J. L. Holcomb Co.,	167.92	
L. W. Fitch,	17.55	
Triangle Filling Station,	15.71	
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	14.27	
Withholding tax,	15.00	
Social security,	50.74	
	<hr/>	\$2,693.41

CONVEYANCE

Anita Eldridge,	\$1,785.48	
Ada McKenney,	1,872.17	
Arthur Richards,	183.00	
Thelma Warren,	2,073.68	
Myron T. Locke, insurance,	140.64	
	<hr/>	\$6,054.97

UTILITIES

New England Telephone and Tel-		
egraph,	\$ 79.90	
Carroll B. Ronco,	33.24	
Norton Hardware Co.,	85.00	
Central Maine Power Co.,	424.43	
Treasurer, State of Maine,	4.50	
	<hr/>	\$627.07

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Carroll B. Ronco,	\$ 16.52	
Chester V. Small,	24.80	
Benton Review,	41.14	
Fred L. Tower Co.,	16.50	
Scott, Foresman Co.,	249.75	
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	66.08	
Shepards,	14.73	
Franklin Shops,	34.00	
Follette Publishing Co.,	16.26	
Audio-Visual Service,	.68	
Lyons and Carnahan,	14.90	

American Education,	25.75
J. L. Hammett Co.,	29.87
Charles E. Merrill,	4.58
Macmillan Co.,	32.65
Educational Music,	35.56
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	9.72
Milton Bradley Co.,	13.45
D. C. Heath & Co.,	5.52
Continental Press,	3.51
World Book Co.,	172.02
Allyn & Bacon,	30.56
Paul McCreary Co.,	23.14
Ginn & Co.,	96.91
Laidlow Bros.,	12.44
Gledhill Bros.,	80.56
Webster Publishing Co.,	85.06
Scholastic Machines,	30.80
Silver Burdett Co.,	3.11
Lagone Band Instruments,	4.85
Hinkson Paper Co.,	98.74
Boston Music Co.,	1.47
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	\$1,295.63

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriated by the town,	\$14,600.00
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	513.49
Treasurer of State, tuition reim-	
bursement,	614.49
State subsidy,	3,820.00
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	\$19,547.98
Fryeburg Academy,	\$3,501.33
Town of Standish,	2,726.72
Town of Gorham,	425.90
Town of Cornish,	150.00
Town of Sebago,	9,827.00
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	\$16,630.95
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Unexpended balance, Dec.	
31, 1957,	\$2,917.03

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriated by the town,	\$600.00	
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	8.52	
	<hr/>	\$608.52
J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$51.75	
Cornish Library Association,	50.00	
Wendell B. Tripp,	61.40	
Wirthmore Feed Co.,	5.01	
F. E. Wood & Sons,	12.75	
Sebago Forestry,	35.58	
Bernard Greely and Son,	25.00	
Norton Hardware,	7.87	
G. W. Jewett & Son,	30.10	
L. C. Andrew,	40.98	
Paris Manufacturing Co.,	76.88	
Shepard's,	4.00	
Lee Owen,	5.15	
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	3.20	
L. W. Fitch,	10.78	
Sears, Roebuck & Co.,	11.96	
	<hr/>	\$432.41
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,		\$176.11

LANDSCAPE ACCOUNT

Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	\$965.40	
Paid Wirthmore Stores for fertilizer,	15.00	
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,		\$950.40

SCHOOL INSURANCE

Appropriated by the town,	\$600.00	
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	89.33	
	<hr/>	\$689.33
Myron T. Locke,		621.20
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,		\$68.13

MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Appropriated by the town,	\$100.00
Dr. DiBiaso, examinations,	\$100.00

SODIUM FLUORIDE CLINIC

Appropriated by the town,	\$80.00	
State subsidy,	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$95.00
State Dept. of Health and Welfare,		\$95.00

SCHOOL LUNCH

Appropriated by the town,	\$1,440.00	
Balance, Jan. 1, 1957,	364.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.52
Doris Sanborn, cook,	\$857.79	
Alice Wood, assistant cook,	185.70	
Irma Nelson, assistant cook,	117.28	
Norma Thomas, assistant cook,	48.87	
Withholding tax,	197.90	
Social security,	32.46	
	<hr/>	\$1,440.00
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Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1957,		\$364.52

REPORT OF FIRE COMPANIES

NORTH BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC.

Treasurer's Report for January 1, 1958

Receipts

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1957,	\$326.67
Dues received, 1957,	48.75
Appropriated by town for 1957,	600.00
Contributions, 1957,	18.04
Activities for 1957,	498.05
	<hr/> \$1,491.51

Disbursements

Fuel, lights and telephone,	\$255.39
Insurance,	88.68
New equipment for buildings, truck, and maintenance,	182.72
Activities,	256.33
General expenses,	11.40
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Total expenses,	\$794.52
Unexpended balance,	696.99
	<hr/> \$1,491.51

Respectfully submitted,

EDSON H. STACY,

Treasurer.

EAST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY, INC.

On hand, Jan. 1, 1957,	\$418.60
Dues and donations,	34.00
Donation from the town,	600.00
Activities,	150.98
	<hr/> \$1,203.58

Total spent:

Fuel and lights,	\$145.14
Telephone,	112.75
Insurance,	135.04
Fire equipment (one 500 gallon pumper),	150.00
Repairs and supplies,	370.50
Miscellaneous,	31.03
On hand, Jan. 14, 1958,	259.12
	<hr/> \$1,203.58

We have attended 11 fires during the past year, under the following categories:

Out of town,	Two
Brush,	Two
Chimney,	Five
Buildings,	Two

Respectfully submitted,

LEROY F. WOOD,

Treasurer.

J. EVERETT RILEY,

Secretary.

WEST BALDWIN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., INC.**Report for the Year Ending December 31, 1957**

Balance on hand as of Jan. 1, 1957, \$474.79

Receipts

Membership dues,	\$ 70.00	
Miscellaneous,	39.55	
Activities,	222.39	
From Town of Baldwin,	600.00	
Private donations,	23.00	
	<hr/>	\$954.94
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		\$1,429.73

Expenditures

Fuel,	\$137.80	
Telephone,	66.30	
Lights,	74.51	
New equipment,	293.06	
Insurance,	88.68	
Repairs,	44.82	
Miscellaneous,	189.19	
	<hr/>	\$894.36
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Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1958, \$535.37

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. ANDREWS,

Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

DOG TAX ACCOUNT

Received and paid to the State, \$144.20

VITAL STATISTICS

Number of marriages, 12

Number of births, 15

DEATHS

Jan. 5, in Parsonsfield, Leon H. Jefferson, aged 54 yrs.

Jan. 14, in Hiram, Phoebe M. Noble, aged 69 yrs.

Feb. 14, in Wells, Cynthia M. Smith, aged 53 yrs.

Feb. 23, in Portland, Annie W. Flint, aged 92 yrs.

Mar. 5, in Portland, Elsie H. Leach, aged 67 yrs.

Mar. 5, in Baldwin, Austin Durgin, aged 60 yrs.

Mar. 28, in Portland, Matilda Wentworth, aged 72 yrs.

Apr. 16, in Baldwin, Leroy W. Bliss, aged 67 yrs.

May 14, in Portland, Carolyn Y. Dennett, aged 90 yrs.

July 15, in Peaks Island, Lydia E. Merrill, aged 82 yrs.

Sept. 28, in Baldwin, Myra W. Merrill, aged 84 yrs.

Sept. 28, in Baldwin, Edwin W. Sawyer, aged 88 yrs.

Nov. 6, in Baldwin, Mary H. Burnell, aged 82 yrs.

Nov. 13, in Conway, N. H., Walter R. Burnell, aged 94
years.

Nov. 15, in Limerick, Reuben W. Burnell, aged 41 yrs.

Nov. 20, in Gorham, Lottie M. Wiley, aged 82 yrs.

Dec. 29, in Portland, Harry F. Ward, aged 65 yrs.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA F. WARD,

Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Treasurer, Town of Baldwin, Maine

Year Ending December 31, 1957

Taxes:

Current year,	\$65,705.77	
Prior years,	7,754.27	
Excise taxes,	4,020.41	
Tax liens paid,	834.35	
	<hr/>	\$78,314.80

State grants:

Highways,	\$ 9,095.63	
Health and welfare,	1,077.29	
Bank stock tax,	14.37	
Library stipend,	20.00	
Dance hall license,	2.00	
Railroad & tel. tax,	17.60	
Education subsidy,	12,127.00	
	<hr/>	22,353.89

Other receipts,

Temporary loans,	\$30,000.00	
Mary E. Guptill refund,	720.00	
Ida F. Ward refund,	25.00	
Myron T. Locke Agency refund,	9.77	
John O. Sanborn refund,	44.85	
Henry E. Davis refund,	37.68	
Brown Cemetery interest,	25.00	
Several small amounts,	17.00	
Cash at beginning of year,	10,180.07	
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		\$141,728.06

Disbursements:

Checks drawn during the	
year,	\$125,654.37
Bank balance,	15,918.72
Cash on hand,	154.97
	<hr/> \$141,728.06

ACCOUNTS HELD IN TRUST

Brown Cemetery fund, U. S. Savings Bond,	
Series G, 2½% interest,	\$1,000.00
Deacon's Fountain fund, Maine Savings	
Bank, Portland, Maine, Book No. 2046,	
cash,	\$671.35
(Some interest to be put on book.)	

JOHN O. SANBORN,
Treasurer.

PROGRESS REPORT ON MOUTH HEALTH PROJECT

January, 1958.

During the past year a dental hygienist from the State Department of Health and Welfare devoted 9 days to working with elementary and pre-school children to promote mouth health.

A total of 46 school children had sodium fluoride solution applied to their erupted teeth for the partial prevention of dental decay. These same 46 children also had their teeth cleaned.

A total of 63 school children received mouth examinations and were given reports to take to their parents.

A total of 134 children were instructed in mouth care, either individually or in classrooms.

DIVISION OF DENTAL HEALTH,
Department of Health and Welfare,
Augusta, Maine.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1957

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of the Town of Baldwin:

It is a pleasure to make my fourth annual report as superintendent of schools, and to discuss with you pertinent aspects of the educational program of Baldwin, with particular reference to the future scope of the elementary program.

THE SINCLAIR BILL

The Ninety-Eighth Legislature, in regular and special session, has enacted into law what promises to be the most far-reaching and important educational legislation in Maine since 1893, at which time local school districts were abolished and towns were made responsible for all public school education within their boundaries. This new "Sinclair Bill" provides an opportunity for smaller towns to join together cooperatively to form a larger administrative district, and thereby accomplish what the towns cannot hope to do individually, particularly at the high school level. Section 111A begins, "It is declared to be the policy of the State to encourage the development of school administrative units of sufficient size to provide a more equalized educational opportunity for pupils, to establish satisfactory school programs. . . ."

In setting up incentives for the formation of these larger administrative districts, the law provides for (1) a greater educational subsidy and (2) school building construction aid for those towns entering into such an arrangement. The foundation program requires provision of pre-primary through grade twelve, and the reorganized district must be of such size as to have 300 pupils in grades nine through twelve.

I recommend and believe that the town officials and citizens of Baldwin should inform themselves on the more detailed aspects of the new bill as rapidly as group meetings make it feasible.

APPROVAL AND ACCREDITATION

Although Baldwin will be affected only indirectly by this program, beginning in 1960 all high schools will be listed as either "Approved" or "Accredited." As of that date, a different set of standards will be effective for the evaluation of high schools. Those secondary schools meeting a basic set of standards will be rated as "Approved." Those schools meeting a more complicated and higher set of standards can achieve an "Accredited" rating.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS IMPROVEMENT

A cool storage closet for surplus commodity foods for the lunch program was constructed in the basement. This has proven useful and practical. For next year it is planned to erect partitions at either end of the stage to provide areas for costume changes and for other accessory usages when plays and public entertainments are presented in the auditorium.

A present need which may require long-range planning to achieve is for facilities for indoor athletic activity. This would include basketball. Baldwin pupils attending high schools out-of-town find themselves particularly handicapped in this sport, since most towns have a definite program for elementary pupils. The school committee hopes to install outdoor basketball goals and a black-top surface approximately 35 feet by 60 feet to provide an opportunity for outdoor basketball activity when the weather is suitable.

SCHOOL LUNCH

There are three factors adversely affecting the financial status of school lunch programs this year which should be called to your attention. First, the USDA subsidy has decreased another one-half cent per pupil meal this year. Second, the price of school milk has been increased one cent per half-pint by the Maine Milk Commission. Third, the lunches have received very little in

the way of surplus commodity meat products this year, as compared to the rather generous commodities available previously.

You will note that the per pupil meal charge and the town appropriation for the lunch program has remained unchanged for several years. You are aware of the constant increases in food costs. Faced with decreasing revenue on the one hand and with increasing costs on the other, we are attempting to forestall any increase in the per pupil meal charge through careful attention to economical operation.

STAFF AND PUPILS

I am glad to report that the same staff continues their capable and conscientious instruction of your pupils. International events of the past year, Sputniks in particular, have pointed up the critical need for increased attention to a high level of scholastic achievement from those who have the capacity to excel in this particular area. The home should certainly accept a share of the responsibility for promoting a seriousness of purpose and an abiding respect for superior intellectual achievement.

The tables which follow reveal an overall upward trend this year in school population. This is more particularly noticeable at the high school level, where the trend will be for more high school pupils next year. The figures are as of December 1, annually.

I. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DATA

Teacher	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Eleanor Clinch,	20	7							27
Maxine Pierce,		9	19						28
Muriel Hoyt,				21	6				27
Gladys Cartret,					13	12			25
Ida Ward,							14	14	28
1957-58 Totals,	20	16	19	21	19	12	14	14	135
1956-57 Totals,	17	23	21	20	9	13	14	14	131
1955-56 Totals,	22	21	21	8	12	13	13	15	125

(Music: Flora Carpenter)

II. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

School	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
Fryeburg Academy,	5	7	10	10
Potter Academy,	21	28	30	33
Standish High School,	9	7	8	9
Westbrook High School,	1	0	0	0
Gorham High School,	0	2	2	1
Cornish High School,	0	0	0	1
Totals,	36	44	50	54

PRE-PRIMARY GRADE

There will be a special article in the warrant to see what instructions the town will give the superintending school committee concerning the future provision of a pre-primary year. If a pre-primary were to be installed, these matters would have to be considered:

1. Whether to add an additional teacher.
2. Whether to utilize the music room (unused half of the auditorium) or to build another regular classroom.
3. Provisions for additional conveyance capacity.
4. Provision of necessary supplies and equipment.

THE BUDGET

You will note from the charts of comparative appropriations and expenditures that a lesser total appropriation is requested this year than last year. You will also note the increase in the estimated expenditures. Only the greater amount of state educational subsidy under the Sinclair Bill makes this possible this year. These factors account for greater estimated expenses for the ensuing year:

1. Increasing teachers' salaries according to the new minimum salary law.
2. A greater conveyance cost due to the increased mileage necessary to get all pupils to school.
3. More pupils attending high school at higher tuition rates.

APPROPRIATIONS

Account	1956	1957	Proposed 1958
Elementary school,	\$18,950.00	\$19,700.00	\$19,300.00
Repairs and equipment,	400.00	600.00	500.00
Insurance,	475.00	600.00	600.00
Superintendent and office,	—	—	1,100.00
Medical inspection,	100.00	100.00	100.00
Sodium fluoride clinic,	80.00	80.00	100.00
High school tuition,	11,700.00	14,600.00	12,900.00
School lunch,	1,480.00	1,440.00	1,400.00
Totals,	\$33,185.00	\$37,120.00	\$36,000.00

EXPENDITURES

Account	1956	1957	Estimated 1958
Elementary maintenance:			
Instruction,	\$12,715.27	\$14,181.25	\$15,215.00
Fuel,	1,543.19	1,459.77	1,488.00
Janitor,	2,337.34	2,693.41	2,670.00
Conveyance,	5,542.57	5,971.89	6,561.00
Tuition,	377.21	412.50	450.00
Books and supplies,	984.43	1,295.63	1,215.00
Utilities,	674.04	627.07	650.00
Maintenance totals,	\$24,174.05	\$26,641.52	\$28,249.00
Repairs and equipment,	\$ 631.90	\$ 432.41	\$ 500.00
Landscaping,	696.85	15.00	200.00
Insurance,	461.60	621.20	635.00
Superintendent and office,	—	—	1,084.00
Medical inspection,	100.00	100.00	100.00
Sodium fluoride clinic,	80.00	95.00	100.00
School lunch,	1,440.00	1,440.00	1,440.00
Elementary totals,	\$27,584.40	\$29,345.13	\$32,308.00
High school tuition,	13,975.62	16,630.95	18,493.00
Grand totals,	\$41,560.02	\$45,976.08	\$50,801.00

I want to point out specifically that costs of goods and services essential to the school program continue to rise. Certainly the citizens who feel the effects of a rising economy in their personal and family budgets will recognize that these same factors affect the school budget similarly.

The new minimum teacher salary law requires additional salary increases, but it should be pointed out that this is a minimum provision, and that the general level of teachers' salaries in Maine is considerably in advance of the minimum salary law. For example, the average teacher salary in Baldwin is \$2,620.00, in Maine as a whole, \$3,645.00. To continue to compete for teachers Baldwin will have to continue to move teachers' salaries upward.

This new salary law provides for annual increases of \$100.00 between the following ranges as the minimum amounts:

Years of Experience	Less Than 3 Years	3 Years	Bachelor's Degree	Master's Degree
0	\$2,200.00	\$2,600.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,200.00
10	3,200.00	3,600.00	4,000.00	4,200.00

In closing, I wish to express to school committee members, to the school staff and other school workers, and to the community my appreciation for your contributions and cooperative efforts in maintaining and improving the level of school services this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARROLL B. RONCO,
Superintendent.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1957

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Unexpended last year,	\$ 5,977.55
Town appropriation,	19,700.00
Auditorium usage,	2.00
Gladys Cartret, toll calls,	5.00
State subsidy,	8,292.00
	<hr/> \$33,976.55

Expenses

Instruction,	\$14,181.25	
Fuel,	1,459.77	
Janitor, cleaning, supplies,	2,693.41	
Conveyance,	5,971.89	
Tuition,	412.50	
Books and supplies,	1,295.63	
Utilities,	627.07	
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	\$26,641.52	
Unexpended this year,	7,335.03	
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CONTINGENT FUND

Back pay due teachers and drivers,	\$1,106.15	
Net balance,	6,228.88	
	<hr/>	\$7,335.03

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 513.49	
Town appropriation,	14,600.00	
Treasurer of State, tuition,	614.49	
State subsidy,	3,820.00	
	<hr/>	\$19,547.98

Expenses

Town of Cornish,	\$ 150.00	
Town of Gorham,	425.90	
Fryeburg Academy,	3,501.33	
Town of Sebago,	9,827.00	
Town of Standish,	2,726.72	
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	\$16,630.95	
Unexpended this year,	2,917.03	
	<hr/>	\$19,547.98

REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 8.52	
Town appropriation,	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$608.52

Expenses

Repairs,	\$238.04	
Equipment,	194.37	
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	\$432.41	
Unexpended this year,	176.11	
	<hr/>	\$608.52

LANDSCAPE**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,		\$965.40
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Expenses

Wirthmore Feed, fertilizer,	\$ 15.00	
Unexpended this year,	950.40	
	<hr/>	\$965.40

INSURANCE**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 89.33	
Town appropriation,	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$689.33

Expenses

Fire insurance,	\$612.70	
Liability insurance,	8.50	
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	\$621.20	
Unexpended this year,	68.13	
	<hr/>	\$689.33

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS**Receipts**

Town appropriation,		\$100.00
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Expenses

Dr. Anthony DiBiaso, examinations,		\$100.00
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SODIUM FLUORIDE CLINIC**Receipts**

Town appropriation,	\$80.00	
Treasurer of State, education sub-		
sidy,	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$95.00

Expenses

Department of Health and Welfare,	\$95.00
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SCHOOL LUNCH**Receipts**

Unexpended last year,	\$ 364.52	
Town appropriation,	1,440.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.52

Expenses

Doris Sanborn, cook,	\$1,080.00	
Norma Thomas, assistant,	50.00	
Alice Wood, assistant,	190.00	
Erma Nelson, assistant,	120.00	
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	\$1,440.00	
Unexpended this year,	364.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.52

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

The public health nursing programs established late in 1956 were completed during the past year.

In January, the last of a series of three immunization clinics was held. Thirteen children completed immunization against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus, 18 received their second polio inoculation and 58 were given the booster dose for poliomyelitis. Two were vaccinated against smallpox.

The completion of this program resulted in protection of a very high percentage of the school population. Fourteen of the children who received polio vaccine at the last clinic were pre-school children and it was planned that the booster dose would be offered them at the child health conferences held in the summer months. This was done.

In May, as a part of the school health program, 38 children were examined, which completed the examinations scheduled for the 1956 school year.

The examinations scheduled for this school year were completed in December. Fifty-one children were examined. Many of the parents in your town again cooperated by being present when their children were seen by the doctor. It is, of course, desirable to have one of the parents present in order that the value of the examinations and the reasons for a recommendation be understood.

In June the audiometer was used to test the hearing of the school children.

Three child health conferences were held during the summer months to which infants and pre-school children were invited. It provides a good opportunity to establish the habit of regular medical supervision.

Attendance at the three conferences totaled 54. Physical examinations were given and in addition eight were vaccinated against smallpox and eight protected against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus. Eight children received their second inoculation of polio vaccine and ten their third or booster dose.

During the year home visits have been made for many varied reasons. I repeat that visiting families in their homes provides an excellent opportunity to discuss with the parent any health problem, whether it be in relation to an infant, school child or an aged person. Too, your nurse is ready to direct the family to the community and State resources where help may be obtained, if necessary.

I take this opportunity to thank those persons who in any way assisted with the program last year.

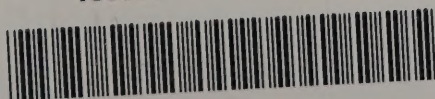
Respectfully submitted,
ELEANOR E. GRIFFITHS, R. N.,
Division of Public Health Nursing.

Clarence O'Brien
Great Baltimore, Ohio.



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